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Oak Bay	E 3231	G 1188
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Carry on Search Along Coast for Missing Aircraft

No Word Received for Two Days From Ship Piloted by Veteran Alaskan Flyer Carrying Five Passengers From Seattle and Probably Last Seen Over Vancouver Island

R.C.A.F. Combing All Coast

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Jan. 7 (AP.)—One of Alaska's veteran pilots and five passengers are missing in a wide search along British Columbia's coastal region today after a Morrison-Knudsen Company plane had been unreported two days in a Seattle-Alaska flight.

C. R. Shinn, Alaska manager for the Morrison-Knudsen Company, said Royal Canadian Air Force planes were conducting the search for the plane piloted by Harold Gilliam.

Gilliam's passengers were listed as:

Robert Gebo, of Seattle, general superintendent for the M-K Company, in Alaska.

Dewey Metzdorf, superintendent of hotels and the commissary for the Alaska railroad, owner of the Anchorage Hotel and an Anchorage civic leader;

Joseph H. Tippitts, civil aeronautics authority mechanical maintenance unit employee here.

Susan Balzer, also a C.A.A. employee.

Percy Cutting, a Morrison-Knudsen mechanic in Alaska, who was returning from a holiday vacation trip to his home in California.

NO RADIO REPORT

The transport plane left Seattle early Tuesday afternoon. No radio reports have been received from it.

Shinn and Canadian reports told of a plane resembling the missing craft's description having been seen flying east and later west over the

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PROTEST LABOR CONGRESS MOVE

Union Adopts Resolution Criticizing Refusal to Recognize Officers

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP.)—Executive officers and shop stewards from the Dock and Shipyard Workers, Operating Engineers and the Blacksmiths' Union tonight adopted a resolution protesting action of the Canadian Congress of Labor in refusing to recognize recently elected officers of the Boilermakers' Union and in appointing Alex McAusland, C.C.L. vice-president, to administrate that union's affairs.

The C.C.L. action was announced last week at Ottawa by President Pat Conroy and based on the charge the union's recent elections had been carried out with many irregularities.

The meeting asked that the congress executive rescind its action in the interests of war production and harmony, and permit the Boilermakers' Union to choose its own officers.

At the same time E. E. Leary, secretary of the Dock and Shipyard Workers' Union, asked Congress charges that the union had violated the congress constitution.

Mr. Leary said he had wired Mr. Conroy requesting "before any more charges against this union" or Vancouver Labor Council are listened to by the congress executive, that you make personal investigation of situation in Vancouver, and also investigate source of your information."

The Vancouver union executive earlier received a wire from Conroy which said his (Leary's) presence at a meeting swearing in officers of the Boilermakers' Union whose election the congress refused to recognize, "left the impression you sided and abetted in obstructing and setting aside functions and purposes of the congress."

Leary replied he had not attended the meeting.

No Air Mail Overseas For Civilians Now

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP.)—Air mail from Canada to civilians in Britain has been discontinued, postal authorities said today.

Airgraphs still travel by bomber, and so do as many as possible of the special Silver air mail forms to men in the Forces. However, a large percentage of these at present go by boat also.

A similar situation exists for mail travelling from Britain to Canada. There is only sufficient aircraft to carry about 10 per cent of the air mail, officials said.

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Scheduled Stop for American Convoys

With the Japanese fleet giving Guadalcanal a wide berth these days, freighters supplying United States marines and soldiers have run China seas almost at will. In the background may be seen part of the convoy which carried the vital necessities. The Japanese forces left on the island are being made to drop supplies to them by parachute during the night.

Last Japanese Stronghold in Papua Circled

Complete Destruction of Enemy's Army Near, General MacArthur Reports

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA, Jan 8 (Friday) (AP.)—**The last strong point of the Japanese in the Papua Peninsula of New Guinea has been encircled by Allied forces, meaning, bringing near the complete destruction of the enemy's Papuan army, once 15,000 strong, General Douglas MacArthur reported today.**

This was announced in the noon communique which also reported the destruction of two Japanese transports and eighteen Zero planes off New Guinea.

"In Huon Gulf, our air force today repeated attacks on an enemy convoy of transports and escorting warships, totaling ten vessels, approaching Lae," the communique said.

"One transport of 14,000 tons, heavily loaded with troops, was hit with all on board in a night attack. Another large transport was damaged by a direct hit, enveloped in flames and later sank. A third large transport was heavily hit by a 500-pound bomb, forcing forces of enemy fighters attempted to protect the convoy. Eighteen of these have been definitely destroyed. Five

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Victory Is Certain, Roosevelt Asserts To New Congress

"We Are Going to Strike, and Strike Hard," He Promises—Axis Knew They Were Lost if Did Not Win in 1942—Germany, Italy and Japan Must Be Completely Disarmed

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (CP.)—President Roosevelt told a wildly-cheering Congress today that victory for the United Nations is sure and inevitable, and declared that hard blows against the Axis, in Europa and the Pacific, will be struck in 1943.

Standing on the raised speaker's rostrum in the House of Representatives and addressing the assembled senators and congressmen at the formal opening of the seventy-eighth Congress, the President predicted victory for the United Nations, not only in the war but in the peace to follow. He declared, too, that 1943 would see "a very substantial advance along the road that lead to Berlin and Rome and Tokio."

Demanding permanent disarmament of Germany, Italy and Japan Mr. Roosevelt counselled the United Nations to remain united so as to achieve a degree of world economic stability that will result in universal freedom from want.

In this postwar effort, the United States must play a full part, he said. A return to isolationism is impossible because "we cannot make America an island in what is military or an economic sense."

With vigor, he "disavowed" from the view that wartime is no time for discussion of domestic reforms. In

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"FANTASTIC" IN GERMANS' EYES

Nazis' Reaction to Roosevelt's Address Takes Usual Line of Attack

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP.)—The Germans first comment tonight on President Roosevelt's address to Congress took the customary line of attacking the President, and then singled out his figure on United States war production for particular comment, describing them as "fantastic."

The Berlin radio broadcast a comment by the diplomatic correspondent of the German Transocean News Agency declaring that the war situation "cannot be changed . . . by announcements of plans and hopes for the future."

"Roosevelt's threats about attacks on Europe planned for this year, particularly from the air, are regarded

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Near 15,000 Anthracite Miners Out

WILKES-BARRE, Pa., Jan. 7 (AP.)—The number of anthracite miners in Pennsylvania's anthracite fields—the sole source of the nation's hard coal—rose to more than 15,000 today in the face of demands U.M.W.A. Chief John L. Lewis for securing from all other Government and union officials that the men go back to work.

The strike, unauthorized by the United Mine Workers of America, has continued despite a fifty-cents a month dues increase adopted by the union at its convention in October at which the strikers say anthracite miners were not properly represented. The strike was also demanding a 2 a day pay increase.

Most of the anthracite production down already because of shortages, which, during the holiday season, had dropped at least 25,000 tons daily at the thirteen affected collieries of Marty Jennings, Pennsylvania secretary of commerce, said a "great number" was reported in New England part of the seventeen-state area in whom a 35 per cent cut in fuel oil ration for non-essential buildings went into effect today, simultaneously with the strike.

To Lose Jobs At Eighteen

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP.)—As a result of the recent army decision to accept enlistment of eighteen-year-old youths for the Canadian (Active) Army, the Federal civil service has decided no physically-fit male employee now under the age of eighteen may be retained in the Government employ after his eighteenth birthday, it was learned today. Hundreds of youths are affected.

Miner Escapes Jail Sentence

EDMONTON, Jan. 7 (CP.)—The fact that Herbert Joudrie is a coal miner saved him from a jail sentence today. Joudrie was convicted in police court of a charge of assaulting his wife and daughter. A J. MERT told him the only reason you're not going to jail is because you are a miner and there is a serious shortage of coal miners in Edmonton."

B.C. MAN GOING TO NEW OFFICE

Native Son of Vernon on Staff of Five Accompanying Wilgress to Russia

OTTAWA, Jan 7 (CP.)—L. D. Wilgress, who leaves shortly for his post as Canadian Minister to Soviet Russia, will be accompanied by a staff of five and two of them, like himself speak Russian.

The staff members will be:

First secretary, R. M. Macdonnell, thirty-three, at present second secretary of the Canadian Legation in Washington.

Military attache, Brig. H Lefebvre, fifty-four, of Montreal, recently returned from service overseas.

Assistant military attache, Maj. G. L. Ostellon, thirty-four, a native of Russia who recently returned from active service with the Canadian forces overseas.

Third secretary, A. C. Smith, twenty-eight, Toronto, now on a special mission in Cairo; and J. A. McCordick, twenty-seven, Toronto, recently returned from service with the Canadian Intelligence Service overseas.

With the exception of Mr. Macdonnell all the staff in the Russian Legation will be newcomers to the diplomatic service. Mr. Wilgress leaves the office of deputy minister of trade and commerce to take over the new post.

FOR DURATION

The other newcomers are appointed for the duration only. Maj. Ostellon speaks Russian as a native of that country and Mr. McCordick is fluent in several foreign languages, including Russian. Mr. Wilgress learned the language during years spent in the Canadian Trade Commissioner Service in that country.

Mr. Macdonnell was born in Ver-

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Trapped by Huge Icicle

NEWARK, N.Y., Jan. 7 (CP.)—Six-year-old Anthony Jotin trapped by his leg when he slipped on ice, he had pushed off the side of a building was rescued uninjured tonight.

The boy said that on his way to school in afternoon he tugged at an icicle hanging from a canopy. The icicle broke off, trapping him beneath it.

When he failed to return from school search was begun. Neighbors hood boys and his brothers found him.

Dr. Frederick Jotin, the lad's physician said rather he thinks that he'll be all right again."

TANKER SUBMARINES REPAIR AND REFUEL

NEW YORK, Jan. 7. (AP.)—The Berlin radio quoted the German Naval High Command tonight as announcing for the first time the existence of "fast transport submarines," which it said are able to refuel and repair the U-boat fleet everywhere in the operations area.

Germany Admits Retreat In Caucasus as Russian Armies Thunder Onward

Withdraw to Old Positions After One Day

Germans Regain All Ground Lost at Jebel Azzag in North Africa

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, North Africa, Jan. 7 (AP.)—**British First Army veterans have been driven from the dominating Jebel Azzag Heights commanding a road to Mateur, fifteen miles to the east, after capturing and holding the position for a day, an Allied communique said today.**

A hill in recent heavy rains allowed British troops to attack Tuesday. The Germans counterattacked successfully yesterday, regaining all the ground they had lost. Mateur is twenty miles southeast of Bizerte, major goal of the British, American and French Allies.

"We have withdrawn to our former positions in the Jebel Azzag" the communique said. "our fighters maintained patrols in this area during the day and fighter-bombers attacked enemy gains which were shelling our troops. Spitfires shot down three enemy aircraft during these operations."

The British Eighth Army in Libya remained virtually motionless before the territorial German position in the Wadi Zeif-Zeif, about 100 miles east of Tripoli, but activity increased slightly and patrols were active. British bombers with the Eighth Army started railway and waterfront fires at Sousse on the Tunisian east coast, a Cairo communique said.

Fighting French headquarters in London announced a force of Brigadier-General le Clerc's forces had captured the main Axis outpost at Umm-el-Araneb in the Fezzan area in the Italian Desert 600 miles south of Tripoli.

These troops under the legendary Fighting French general were said to have advanced northward to the light mount 1,000 miles from their base near Lake Chad. Several hundred prisoners, guns and tanks were taken in the fierce attack. The Fighting French reported

German parachutists and a native guide were dropped far behind the Allied line in Algeria in the Saint

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Safely in Port With Big Record

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP.)—The British submarine Thrasher was back in Britain today for the first time since 1941 with a record of sixteen enemy ships sunk, totaling 90,000 tons covering 40,000 miles—and a picture of Hitler's face from one of her sinking victims.

The Thrasher's skipper, Lieut. H. T. MacKenzie, related the submarine's adventures but pleaded, "Please don't make me tell the humor about it all."

Her most dangerous moments occurred just after two transports were attacked successfully in the Mediterranean. An enemy destroyer located the Thrasher and passed over her at three feet, he said in interview, giving an accurate picture of depth charges each time.

MacKenzie said they shook the submarine so that they were frightened the rats into silence.

"They hardly made a squeak for twelve hours," he said. "The officers said he could hear the teeth of one of them chattering."

The position of Von Heidh's trapped army east of Stalingrad has been aggravated by the capture of an important hill above the Red Army troops stormed it after hand-to-hand bayonet fighting and held it against six counter-attacks. Now Russian guns are blasting the hill, German position on the hill from close range

The next Axis line of defence may be on the Manych River, the military correspondent of The Times, from if there is it may easily be defended valley. Nevertheless, Germans retreats now are of such character that it is becoming more and more open to Red troops attacks Once the Russians reach Rostov the evacuation by the Nazis of the whole Caucasus region will become inevitable

As the Russians race nothing for their lives, they are now taking the advantage of their skillful

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Soviets Advance Swiftly Down Don River to Within Seventy-Five Miles of Rostov, Cutting Path Twenty Miles Wide — Forty More Towns Taken—Five Columns Converging

Gaining in Stalingrad

MOSCOW, Jan. 8 (Friday) (AP.)—The Red Army pushing northward from the Caucasian Mountain foothills has wrested forty more inhabited points from German troops, who are running in apparent fear of entrapment by other Soviet columns now striking to within seventy-five miles of Rostov along the Lower Don River.

The 17-Thursday-midnight Soviet communique said the Russian Caucasian armies fanning out on both sides of the Bakuri-Rostov Railway had captured the regional centre of Stepnoya, thirty miles south of Mozdok, and had also taken Novotskaya, which is due north of Prokhladnanskiy, or about thirty miles short of Stepnoya.

Three large towns, Solomanskoye, Sukhaya-Palna and Savarny, also were listed as captured in the continuing Russian advance.

From Europe Day by Day

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LONDON, Jan. 7.—The pursuit of the Germans in the Central Caucasus continues and settle reversed the territorial German position in the lower bend of the Don. Rostov is now begun to threaten with disaster the whole Western army group. Many more villages have been liberated. Further to the north the Russians have advanced from the Kalmuck steppes and have reached the Valley of Manych and have pierced in several places the line on which the Germans had intended to make a stand.

According to the Moscow correspondent, the Manych have been forced from Tereti village east of the Kalmuck Republic. Disaster faces the retiring enemy. Stalin's strategic plan now becomes clear. With General Zhukhov he has outmanoeuvred the best brains of the German High Command. He patiently accepted the pains of retreat, strengthened Moscow's and Stalingrad's defences, and held on until the Nazis main blow had been struck. Then he flung in his reserves.

Nalchik is captured by a force which had skirted the Caucasian Foothills. Tanks and artillery helped and during the night the town's inner defences were broken and the garrison driven out. The Don Cossacks Guard helped to take Salsk, fighting dismounted after pursuing the Germans as they fled. Themlyanskaya was captured after a fortnight two-day battle, the Nazis again being surprised.

On the Lower Don far to the north Russian troops were driving westward on both sides of the Don toward Rostov, but the nearest Soviet penetration, in that city that that announced in yesterday's communique, the capture of Bolshaya Orekovka, about seventy-five miles due east of Rostov on the Sal River.

The Russians broadened their front in this area by occupying Martinovka, on the Sal River twenty miles south of the Don. This place, however, is eighteen miles at the nearest point of the Soviet troops at Bolshaya Orlovka.

Pushing simultaneously along the railroad west from Stalingrad toward Lazhaya the Russians said they took Valikov, fourteen miles west of Morozovsky and about 110 miles Martinovka, and Kotelnikovo, of this point filled in the gap between capture Morozovsky and Tatsinskaya

To the east of these advances

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MORE SHIPS IN RABAUL HARBOR

Reconnaissance Discloses Great Concentration of Vessels by Japanese

MELBOURNE, Jan. 7 (CP.)—Government sources said today that air reconnaissance has disclosed a concentration of Japanese shipping at Rabaul, New Britain, even greater than that mentioned by the enemy for his first counter-attack against the American forces holding the Eastern Solomon Islands.

This concentration, these quarters added, has not shown to have been augmented since last Tuesday, when Japanese was first reported by an Australian Government spokesman.

Yesterday, the Allied Australian headquarters announced that the Japanese assaulting Rabaul Harbor had damaged or destroyed 50,000 tons of enemy shipping—eight ships set abase and left sinking and a ninth destroyed.

Published suggestions have been variously that the enemy perhaps is planning an attack against the Papuan Peninsula of New Guinea, where Australian and American forces are in the final phase of destroying the Japanese forces that landed in the Buna area on Guadalcanal in the Solomons; that he is attempting to strengthen his position definitely.

The Australian Advisory War Council has been called to meet Tuesday and there were reports that Prime Minister John Curtin and Prime Minister John Curtin to go to Washington and London. The Prime Minister has been appealing to the Allies for more aid in this theatre.

In connection with such reports Navy Secretary, Frank Knox said on Tuesday in Washington that, while there was enemy shipping at Rabaul, one of the principal Japanese bases in the Australian theatre, there is no knowledge of any extraordinary concentration there.

Former Victorian Reticent On How He Earned Honor

Lt. Col. Duncan Douglas, O.B.E., Came to City in 1929—Has Had Varied Military Career Since Then

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP.)—**Decorated members of the Canadian Forces habitually are reticent about the actions in which they win their decorations, and Lt.-Col. Duncan Douglas, O.B.E., of Victoria, British Columbia, is not an exception to the rule.**

This thirty-five-year-old veteran of the Battle of France, now in the offices in the quartermaster-general's branch in Canadian military headquarters here and refused to elaborate on what he did to win his O.B.E. He said after much prodding only that the Bureaux Olympiques during which he was recommended was "just plain hard work" coupled with "administrative difficulties."

He was born at British parents in Rio Tinto, Spain, where his father, a Scot, was a civil engineer for a British-owned mine. In 1929, Duncan Douglas, fully qualified as a mechanical engineer after studies in England, left for Canada, to join his brother, Ian, who was farming around Victoria, B.C.

The young Spanish-born Scotsman enlisted in the Royal Canadian Army Service Corps of the Canadian permanent forces. Commissioned as a lieutenant, he was sent to Winnipeg where he spent five years.

In 1936 he was made captain and posted to Quebec, where he held the appointment of district supply and transport officer.

He came to England in September

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Inflation Would Be Costly For Farmer, Ilsley Asserts

Any Temporary Gains Would Be More Than Wiped Out by Deflation and Collapse Which Would Follow

TORONTO, Jan. 7 (CP.)—**Any temporary gains that might come to Canadian farmers from inflation were penalized in the end, Finance Minister Ilsley said today, when he stated that the inflation and the policies adopted by the Government to prevent it, and his declared his belief that such policies were worth all the cost and expense of enforcing them.**

He acknowledged the possibility some farmers might gain temporarily from uncorrected price increases which wartime financial prosperity could bring if there were no controls. Such temporary gains would not rise as quickly as the price of things the farmer had to buy, and would be more than wiped out by the deflation and collapse which would follow inflation, Mr. Ilsley said.

Mr. Ilsley commended the farmer for the loyalty he has consistently and said it was no less surprising or praiseworthy than the speedy building up of Canada's armed forces and industrial production.

An estimated private agricultural manpower of 1,250,000 able-bodied men had provided 350,000 men for the services and war industries, which means those left on the farms

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Potato Growers Make Proposal

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP.)—British Columbia Lower Mainland potato growers at a meeting here last night proposed a ceiling for lower grade stocks for the local domestic market, and the Prairie market would establish the same price ceiling for Lower Mainland potatoes as that set for Interior potatoes, it was learned.

This would amount to $40 per ton for No. 2 potatoes as compared with a price ceiling of $18 set several weeks ago by the Prices Board, and $48 a ton received prior to the Prices Board ruling.

A telegram outlining the proposal was sent to Donald Gordon, Prices Board chairman, and Post Controller J. G. Taggart by the growers' committee following the meeting.

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Crew of Local Train in Collision at Almonte Unaware of Troop Train Following—Coroner Makes Comment on Ruling

ALMONTE, Ont., Jan. 7 (CP).—A Pembroke-Ottawa local train crew never knew a troop train was following them on the night of December 27, until it smashed into the local at this town and caused thirty-six deaths, a coroner's jury was told by witnesses today.

In the Almonte Town Hall, where twenty-eight of the dead were carried after the holiday evening disaster, the witnesses told their stories before Dr. Smirle Lawson, chief coroner for Ontario, and Dr. A. A. Metcalfe, local coroner. Evidence was heard from thirteen persons. The inquiry continues tomorrow.

M. P. O'Connell, of Ottawa, conductor of the local, said no instructions had been given about the troop train behind. Such information was not customarily given a first-class train such as the local. The troop train was "inferior," and should have remained twenty minutes behind the local, he said.

Asked why warning signals were not placed behind the local when it stopped at Almonte, Mr. O'Connell said such protective signals were obligatory only when a train stopped between stations.

LEAK IN ENGINE

Joseph Sauve, engineer of the local, told of his train losing time on the way to Ottawa due to bad weather, heavy traffic and a tube leak in the engine.

After the troop train left Arnprior, Ont., sixteen and one-half miles from Almonte, there was no certain way of stopping it, said B. O. Heintz, dispatcher at Smiths Falls, who was on duty the night of the accident.

At the intermediate point of Pakenham, the operator did not work during Sundays or the evening hours, except by request. When the operator was not working, the Pakenham signals were set at "clear," and the troop train went through without hindrance.

QUESTIONS RULING

Dr. Lawson, in examining the witnesses, questioned the ruling that first-class trains did not need to be informed of following "extra" or second-class trains such as the troop train.

"Second-class trains kill people just like first-class trains," he said.

Mr. Heintz said the local train was thirty-one minutes late at Arnprior, and lost more time traveling to Almonte. The troop was held at Arnprior until it was twenty minutes behind the local, in accordance with regulations.

If the troop train had maintained its schedule, it would have reached Almonte at 8.43 o'clock on the night of the accident. The Almonte collision was reported at 8.40 o'clock.

C. M. McLean, telegraph operator at Arnprior, said he did not know whether he had reported the departure of the troop train from Arnprior to the Almonte operator.

The troop train had started away from the Arnprior station earlier than it should have, but had been stopped by him. He had told the conductor the train must stop. He did not know the reason for the train starting up before the time allowed in the clearance papers. The train backed to its original position after he stopped it.

Conductor of the troop train was John C. Howard, Smiths Falls, who was found drowned there early yesterday morning. Smiths Falls police said Mr. Howard had committed suicide.

Mr. McLean said he did not recall ever before running out to stop a train as he had done with the troop train. He had thirteen years' experience, and had held the train for eight minutes to have it conform to clearance orders.

AT PROPER TIME

The train left at the proper time of 8.15 p.m. Gordon Smith, Smiths Falls, trainman on the troop train said he had received the two clearance orders from Mr. McLean.

He had asked another C.P.R. man to deliver the order to the conductor while he himself told the engineer he could not leave until 8.15 p.m. When the train started to move, he thought merely that it was pulling the conductor's car nearer the station, but then thought it was "pulling out" when it was stopped by Mr. McLean.

W. E. Colborne, operator at Almonte said he knew a troop train was following the local as he had overheard a telegraph message. He knew the troop train had left Arnprior twenty minutes after the local.

CONSIDERABLE CONFUSION

There was "considerable confusion" at Almonte, with traffic heavy on that night. There was a crowd on the platform and he had seven pieces of baggage to load. His first knowledge of the accident was when he saw forward cars of the local "surge ahead" when the train was struck.

There were falls at Almonte, and in certain types of weather a fog rose and made vision difficult.

PLAINVILLE, Mass., Jan. 7 (AP).—Capt. Arthur L. Crowley, seventy-three, whose life was crowded with adventure in the Klondike and on the seas, died at his Plainville home today.

Born at Somerset, Mass., he went to sea as a cabin boy at the age of eleven and, with the exception of a short time in Alaska, organizing a mining company in the gold rush days, he followed the sea for forty-five years.

A sailing master at nineteen, Crowley also supervised construction of many schooners, one of which he sailed to the South Seas.

INFLATION COSTLY, ILSLEY DECLARES

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had worked harder and longer and with the help of older men, women and children "have accomplished wonders in production."

In selecting the Government's anti-inflationary measures for his theme the minister said he believed it should interest agriculturists, and that he realized "some of you are not convinced that it is the best policy for Canadian agriculture," although co-operating to make it a success.

"We are endeavoring to wage war without inflation. That is something new in history—if we can achieve it—because all major wars in the past have been accompanied by inflation and followed by deflation," said Mr. Ilsley.

Danger signals indicating the approach of inflation's menace began to appear late in 1941, the minister said, when nearly all unemployed had been put to work, material shortages began to develop and purchasing power to increase.

It was at that time that the Government moved to prevent a natural spiralling of prices and placed the ceiling on prices, stabilizing them at the then existing levels.

POLICY SUCCEEDS

"That policy, carried out with thoroughness and care, has succeeded in heading off the threatened inflation."

There was some argument that inflation would have benefited the farmer but he would lose the increased revenue from increased prices of what he sells on the increased cost of what he had to buy, the minister said.

The "very real harm" that agriculture would suffer "is the deflation and collapse of prices that would follow inflation," said Mr. Ilsley.

"Such deflation more than cancels out whatever temporary gains some farmers might make out of the rising markets of inflation."

There might be doubt, Mr. Ilsley said, as to whether avoidance of inflation is worth all the tremendous effort and cost it entails.

"It most certainly is worth the cost and trouble," he declared. "In the first place we must avoid inflation if we are to fight this war to the full extent of our ability.

"If we were spending a great deal of time and effort trying to keep up with the rise in prices, trying to negotiate revisions of wage rates, trying to spend our money before it lost its value, bargaining to keep ahead of the other fellow, we would not be able to keep at our work as well as we can now.

"If we were torn by disputes over rising prices, disputes over the adjustments of pensions and the difficulties of those living on their savings, disputes, even strikes, over wage rates, and by eternal bargaining and haggling, we would certainly impair our unity of spirit.

"If the cost of living were shooting up by substantial amounts each month we would be thrusting the costs of the war upon many of those least able to bear them—distributing these costs unfairly and haphazardly.

"If we let inflation proceed, we would increase greatly the cost of the war and the size of the national debt accumulated during the war. If we let prices get out of control, we would find it very much more difficult to readjust ourselves to peacetime conditions when the war is over, because we would face deflation as well as demobilization.

"For all these reasons, therefore, I consider all the difficulties and costs of price control to be little enough to pay for the advantages that we gain."

SOLDIER INJURED IN MOTORCYCLE CRASH

Thrown from his motorcycle when it crashed into a cement block at the east end of Point Ellice Bridge at 11.40 p.m. yesterday, Sigmn. J. R. Boddy suffered severe lacerations about the face and head.

He was taken to military hospital in a city police ambulance by Constables Bob Davidson and Sam McKenzie.

According to police Boddy was proceeding west on the bridge. The motorcycle was badly damaged.

RECTAL SORENESS AND PILE TORTURE QUICKLY RELIEVED

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VICTORY INEVITABLE, ROOSEVELT ASSERTS

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very general terms he called for an expansion of the social security system and for planning that will give the fighting men permanent employment when the armed forces of the United States are demobilized.

It was the President's annual address to Congress on the state of the nation and tonight it led to unstinted praise by Republican as well as Democratic congressmen. It was conciliatory and obviously designed to promote unity and co-operation in the political field.

His address was a report on the state of the world, on the status of the Allied cause, which he found encouraging, and on American war production, which he found excellent—"the arsenal of democracy is making good," he said. To all this he added a guarded prediction that the seventy-eighth Congress may have "the historic privilege" of making the peace.

STRESSES OBJECTIVES

His message stressed the victory objectives and accomplishments, upon which all shades of opinion in Congress are united, and avoided specific recommendations for domestic legislation which would stir up factional disputes.

His reference to the always controversial subject of social security was couched in the general terms of desirable ultimate objectives, with no insistence upon immediate action. The issue of taxes he ignored altogether. That subject is to be discussed in his budget message Monday.

The result of all this was that Republicans and Democrats alike praised the message, almost unstintedly. The Republican leader in the Senate, Senator Charles McNary, of Oregon, found it "an excellent review of current conditions affecting our war and productive effort." Even such a steadfast foe of Roosevelt policy as Representative Hamilton Fish (Republican, New York) thought it a "very fine speech." And the Democratic membership was profuse in its praise.

If the objective of the address was to promote unity and avoid bitter partisan argument, it obviously accomplished its purpose. But just as obviously the argument will come later—when specific legislative proposals are presented.

The President opened his speech with a review of 1942.

"The Axis powers knew that they must win the war in 1942—or eventually lose everything," he said. "I do not need to tell you that our enemies did not win the war in 1942."

He praised the Russians for their defence of Stalingrad and their present offensives. In the Pacific the Battle of Midway was the most important victory, he said, for it secured to the United Nations communication lines stretching far "in every direction."

"The period of our defensive attrition in the Pacific is passing," he said. "Now our aim is to force the Japanese to fight. Last year we stopped them. This year we advance and fight."

The outcome, he said, is a mathematical certainty—"that will become evident to the Japanese people themselves when we strike at their home islands, and bomb them constantly from the air." In these attacks, he said, the United States will be "closely joined with the heroic people of China." Even today, he added, more material is being delivered in China by airplane than ever was carried over the famous Burma Road.

TO LESSEN PRESSURE

In the European theatre, the effort is to lessen the pressure on Russia, he said, through the successful invasion of North Africa.

This, he added, has opened what Winston Churchill called "the underbelly of the Axis" to attack, and removed any danger of an Axis invasion of South America. He said "great rains and appalling mud" have delayed the "final battles for Tunisia and the Axis is reinforcing its positions there. But he expressed confidence that "though the fighting will be tough . . . the last vestige of Axis power will be driven from the south shores of the Mediterranean."

A reference to Winston Churchill drew a loud cheer, the name of Joseph Stalin evoked an even mightier one and the loudest of all came with the mention of the name of Gen. Chiang Kai-Shek of China.

"I cannot prophesy," the President said. "I cannot tell you when or where the United Nations are going to strike next in Europe. But we are going to strike—and strike hard.

"But I can tell you that no matter where and when we strike by land, we and the British and the Russians will hit them from the air heavily and relentlessly. Day in and day out we shall heap tons upon tons of explosives on their war factories and utilities and seaports.

"Hitler and Mussolini will understand the enormity of their miscalculations—that the Axis would always have the advantage of superior air-power as they did when they bombed Warsaw, Rotterdam, London and Coventry. That superiority has gone—forever.

"Yes, the Nazis and the Fascists have asked for it—and they are going to get it."

He went on to discuss postwar plans, saying that, first of all,

"We of the United Nations want a decent peace and endurable peace. . . .

"The men in our armed forces want a lasting peace and, equally, they want permanent employment for themselves, their families and their neighbors when they are mustered out at the end of the war."

They will, he added, have a right to expect such employment.

Economic security, freedom from want and fear, cannot be attained unless there is assurance of lasting peace, he declared.

MUST DISARM

"It is clear to us that if Germany and Italy and Japan—or any one of them—remain armed at the end of this war, or are permitted to rearm, they will again, and inevitably, embark upon an ambitious career of world conquest. They must be disarmed and kept disarmed, and they must abandon the philosophy, and the teaching of that philosophy, which has brought so much suffering to the world. . . .

"Today the United Nations are the mightiest military coalition in history. They represent an overwhelming majority of the population of the world. Bound together in solemn agreement that they themselves will not commit acts of aggression or conquest against any of their neighbors, the United Nations can and must remain united for the maintenance of peace by preventing any attempt to rearm in Germany, in Japan, in Italy, or in any other nation which seeks to violate the Tenth Commandment—'Thou shalt not covet.'

"There are cynics and skeptics who say it cannot be done. The American people and all the freedom-loving peoples of this earth are now demanding that it must be done. And the will of these people shall prevail."

"FANTASTIC" IN GERMAN EYES

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istered without alarm in Berlin," the commentary said. "The German people know that Roosevelt's soldiers and bombers will get the surprise of their lives if they attempt to carry out Roosevelt's threats."

"It is recalled that the Fuehrer recently stressed that Germany likewise possesses new arms, and that Anglo-American air attacks launched from the British Isles will be answered by far more powerful German air attacks on England.

"The fact was regarded as rather significant that Roosevelt intends to concentrate mostly on air attacks. This indicated that the Americans have realized after their setbacks in North Africa and the Pacific, that American naval or land actions have not the slightest chance of success."

"The fantastic figures given by Roosevelt about the United States war material production likewise are presumably intended to show the American people that everything is well. The actual war situation cannot be changed, however, by an announcement of plans and hopes for the future."

B.C. MAN GOING TO NEW OFFICE

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non, B.C., and was educated at the University of Manitoba in Winnipeg where he lived prior to entering the diplomatic service.

He studied at Oxford University and taught school for a short time before entering the diplomatic service in 1934. He has been in the Canadian Legation in Washington for seven years.

Transportation of the party to the Russian temporary capital involves a great deal of difficulty and international co-operation. Actual date of the departure will not be made public.

At present the Russian capital is in Kuibyshev, although Russian leaders are back in Moscow, where Mr. Wilgress will go to present his credentials to President Kalinin.

WITHDRAW FROM IMPORTANT HILL

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Arnando region, 100 to 160 miles west of the Tunisian frontier. The spokesman said the guide was captured and shot.

The native was executed in the theatre square at Saint Arnando.

The Allied communique said British troops in the Jebel Azzag Heights "have withdrawn to our former positions." Fighter planes patrolled the enemy positions from which the Germans were shelling Allied troops. Fighter-bombers attacked the Nazi fire points.

A French military spokesman said that in recent fighting around Fondouk, French troops who surprised the Germans had continued fighting after being surrounded and continued to fight their way back to their own lines against great odds.

United States bombers raided Kairouan, seventy-five miles south of Tunis and thirty miles west of Sousse, three times yesterday in support of General Henri Giraud's French forces operating in that region. The French apparently are attempting to reach the east coast of Tunisia to sever Axis communications with Tripoli in Libya. Lightnings and Warhawks escorted each mission and no American planes were lost.

Air alarms wailed three times last night in Algiers and anti-aircraft batteries were in action. There were no reports of bombs dropped. The R.A.F. was reported to have downed three German planes over the battle area.

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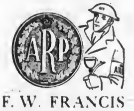

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FROM EUROPE DAY BY DAY

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tactics. The Nazis, on the other hand, stick to strong points until they are surrounded and crushed in death traps. The Red Army's spirit has never been higher and even the Finnish radio is now reporting Red troops' successes.

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Editorially, The Times says the question is how long will favorable weather allow the Russian Army to continue on the floodtide of success. It's clear the Germans' main body in the Caucasus is in full retreat, reconciling itself to the loss of what it expected to be comfortable Winter quarters. That Rostov will not fall without a heavy battle, says The Times, is now only to be expected.

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The Germans once again have begun feverish building of fortifications in Norway, fearing invasion. A year ago these fortifications were supposed to be complete, but now further blockhouses, pillboxes and tank traps are in course of erection. The Stockholm correspondent says the Finnish correspondent of one Swedish journal has been refused permission to continue work in Finland as he reported Finland would never declare war on the United States. The statement was passed by the Finnish censors.

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The output of merchant ships in the United Kingdom during the past year says the shipping correspondent of The Times, reached the figure set by the Government. The achievement was notable, seeing how much warship construction went on at the same time. During the last two and a quarter years capital ships, aircraft carriers and cruisers lost by the Royal Navy have been replaced. Considerable numbers of lost destroyers have also been replaced. The merchant ship output for the past year was the greatest for many years.

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Sabotage has spread widely in Rumania today, says the Istanbul correspondent. Railways, telephones and factories are damaged every day and fires are frequent. The Germans have imposed the death penalty for such offences as thefts of wire. The Nazis now show disquiet at the appalling losses Rumanian troops have suffered in Russia.

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General Mihailovich, Serbian guerrilla leader, has warned General Bader, German commander in Serbia, that, if Nazi atrocities do not cease, in Jugoslavia, the same reprisals will be used against German troops when captured. The Nazis have been killing 100 innocent people as a reprisal for every German soldier missing.

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The Allied air offensive in Burma has been greatly increased and raids now reach as far south as Mandalay.

FORMER STUDENT DIES

Word of the death of Sgt. Bernard H. Barber, a student at Victoria College in 1936-38, has been received here. Sgt. Barber served with the R.C.A.F. and had been overseas for a year. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Barber, live at Vernon.

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FORMER VICTORIAN SILENT ON HONORS

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1938, on exchange with the First British Division, R.A.S.C., and commanded First Division Ammunition Company at Aldershot.

SUPPLY OFFICER

Then the war broke out and Captain Douglas was appointed senior supply officer with the Third British Division with the rank of major. In this capacity he went to France with the B.E.F. and served under General Montgomery, who commanded the Third Division. It was during this period he was recommended for the O.B.E.

Part of the recommendation read: "From the time the division arrived in France, Major Douglas' services in supplying the division with all its needs were quite outstanding. Many and great were the difficulties to contend with but units of the Third Division did not fail to receive supplies and for this Maj. Douglas was largely responsible."

In February, 1940 he was put in command of the Second Corps Petrol Park, a unit which serviced three divisions. "The roads were quite congested with the waves of refugees and the presence of other military vehicles," he said. "This made traffic to the fighting units very difficult at times."

At the end of May 1940 the unit commanded by Major Douglas was one of those evacuated from the beaches at Dunkerque.

After Dunkerque the major came to London as assistant director of supplies and transport at C.M.H.Q., where he was promoted to his present rank. In April, 1942 he went to Canada, became commander, R.C.A.S.C., for a Canadian armored division, with headquarters at Debert, N.S.

He accompanied the division to England in August, 1942, and on November 20 last was posted to the director of Q.M.G. Service Branch at C.M.H.Q.

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CANADA LAGS BEHIND U.S.

Manion Points to American Municipalities' Efforts in A.R.P. Work

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP)—Municipalities should be more ready than many of them appear to be to spend municipal funds on air raid precautions, Hon. R. J. Manion, A.R.P. director, said in a speech prepared for delivery tonight over the national network of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation.

He appealed to citizens to join the civil defence forces of their communities and warned that Canadian cities may yet be attacked from the air with bombs or gas.

The passive civil defence of their communities offered citizens unable to serve in the active forces an opportunity to do their duty.

"From Ottawa we are giving very great assistance in setting up these organizations (municipal civilian defence committees)," said Dr. Manion, "assistance by way of publications of various kinds, millions of dollars worth of equipment for fire-fighting and other purposes, and even cash assistance to provinces and municipalities.

"In the United States no cash assistance of any kind is given by the Federal Government to either state or municipality, and yet I am a little chagrined to realize from observation during visits across the border that the American people and American organizations seem more fully to realize their duties in this regard than do Canadian people and Canadian organizations.

"There was a time when we were inclined to smile a little tolerantly at American flag-waving and Fourth of July orations, but today that great republic seems to me to be reaping a reward for the efforts we smiled at.

"While many of our cities and towns are resentful that they should be expected to spend anything on civilian defence, in the United States practically every city and town in vulnerable areas is spending from 50 cents to $2 per head on this effort. They are vying with each other in the vastness of their municipal preparations for possible attack.

"Our municipalities are receiving generous assistance in both equipment and money grants from Ottawa and they should indeed be more ready than many of them appear to be to spend some of their own funds in building up these passive defences which will be so necessary should the enemy attack us."

With the tide of battle apparently turning against the Axis attack was more likely as a measure of desperation. Unless civilian centres were disciplined and organized against such attacks, the democratic nations might suffer the fate of the nations which have been conquered.

GARAGE STOLEN

CHICAGO, Jan. 7 (AP).—The police started out today on a hunt for a stolen two-car garage.

The known facts in the mystery were these: That the garage was in its proper place on December 29. It was gone when a carpenter went out to do some work on it December 30. Nobody saw it disappear. It's still missing. The property manager, convinced it would not be returned voluntarily, asked the police to find it and bring it back.

Foreign Freight Officials Given Higher Positions

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7—The promotions of R. M. Davison and C. Coe within the foreign freight department of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Vancouver, have been announced by K. M. Fetterly, foreign freight agent.

Mr. Davison, who has been chief clerk of the department for a little more than a year, came here from Japan on leave of absence, on the last trip of the Empress of Asia, shortly before the Japanese entered the war. He joined the company in 1925 and served the foreign freight department in Hongkong, Kobe, Yokohama and Manila. In 1947 he was acting agent at Kobe. He now becomes traveling foreign freight agent.

Mr. Coe, who becomes chief clerk of the department, has served in clerical positions in various departments. He entered service in 1900, left company ranks from 1907 until 1918, and since 1919 has been with the foreign freight department.

THE WAR TODAY

By JOHN COLLINGWOOD READE

CAN DEFEAT GERMANY AND ITALY THIS YEAR

Ernest Bevin, the British Minister of Labor, is a blunt man who says what he thinks. He is rather given to acid comment about certain of his colleagues and groups of his compatriots, and is not above throwing a brickbat or two at sections of the labor movement. He is, however, shrewd and level-headed. Recently he told a British audience that before many weeks were over Hitler would be faced on the Russian front with the greatest disaster of the war, and that the time had come for the Allies to put forward their mightiest effort. "It is the last mile," he said, "and the last round that counts."

Mr. Bevin is not alone among those who have close contact with war developments in his belief that we are entering the last round of the war and can give the enemy his knockout punch this year if we apply all our available strength intelligently. Admiral Halsey, who commands the United States naval forces in the Southwest Pacific, made a statement at the turn of the year to the effect that all the Axis partners would meet their defeat before 1943 had passed into history.

CAN BE DONE IN 1943

Everyone who considers the facts objectively and is in a position to weigh most of the evidence is entitled to an opinion. For my own part, I think that Germany and Italy can be knocked out of the war this year, and that they will admit defeat before Autumn turns again into Winter. The Germans made their complete bid for economic relief and a military position that would give them time for recuperation in the course of the past Summer. They spared nothing. They threw their best troops into the field and filled the gaps left by the fallen with Rumanian, Hungarian and Italian troops, some of which were prodded into action from behind. So desperate was their need for oil, manganese and a chance to rest that they ignored the experience of last Winter, ignored the military necessities of their Mediterranean campaigns, and dug deep into their reserves in the hope of reaching Baku and occupying the line of the Lower Volga before Winter descended upon them.

CAUCASUS WITHDRAWAL

The campaign in the Upper Caucasus could, of course, be continued later into the season than the siege of Moscow last year, because Winter comes later in Southern Russia. But, even so, the enemy persevered too long and was found without sufficient support behind the fighting lines to resist the Russian flanking attacks. Now he has been compelled to abandon twenty-two divisions of first-rate troops, which is the most serious admission of weakness, and is already beginning to withdraw from the Caucasus. The Russian conquest of the Terek River line and the increasing pressure on the whole eastern flank along the Manych River and Lake make a general retirement to the Kuban River imperative.

Moreover, armor, artillery and anti-tank forces now operating in the Caucasus will be needed in the worst way to defend German positions within the elbow of the Donets and hold open the corridor east of Rostov through which an orderly withdrawal can be made as Russian pressure increases. Already the German resistance has stiffened materially in the region of Kamensk and Likhaya, but the Russians have the advantage of immense quantities of German war material which they will not be slow to turn against the enemy, who is seriously weakened by its loss.

GERMAN TROOPS EXHAUSTED

The German soldier is becoming exhausted by the unreasonable demands made upon his energy, and is depressed in his spirit by the gloomy Russian climate and the apparent hopelessness of continued fighting on the Russian front. The failure to get manganese and oil, both of which in large quantities will be needed if the Germans are to maintain full-scale operations throughout 1943, plus the indubitable fact that nearly half the German Army has been put out of action by one cause or another, with the prospect that another important fraction will be rendered innocuous before the Russian Winter offensive is finished, make it obvious that Germany has become very vulnerable.

Prophecy is a dangerous occupation, but I venture to think that, with the coming of Spring, we shall see three great developments. One will be the final ejection of Axis forces from North Africa, with terrible losses to the enemy on land, at sea and in the air, and a consequent panic of the Italian population. The second is the resumption of air attack on German populated centres on a devastating scale. And the third is a simultaneous offensive against European territory both from North Africa and the British Isles.

HUN PRODUCTION DECLINES

I do not believe that the Germans have the air power to break up these attacks, nor will have the transport facilities to move concentrated power to all the threatened points. It would seem, too, as though German air production is on the decline and can be reduced at an accelerating pace by really heavy air attacks such as have been promised by American Air General Spaatz and Air Marshal Harris of the Bomber Command.

Admiral Halsey of the United States Navy is a bold man and it takes a bold man to assert that the Japanese will meet their Waterloo this year. Even allowing for a progressive reduction in shipping loss and a tremendous increase in new tonnage from the shipyards, I do not think we shall have transportation facilities equal to the task of supplying major offensive operations in the eastern theatre of war as well as in the west. A large-scale campaign to retake Burma and reopen supply channels to China is on the cards, and may be carried through effectively. But we shall need to beat the Germans and Italians before we can mass sufficient force to smash the Japanese and it will take a good many months after the Germans are disposed of to tranship great striking power to the Far East.

It is not likely that the Japanese will come hat in hand begging for peace as soon as the Germans collapse, although it is perfectly true that all Japanese hopes for victory are bound up with a German success. The fanatical spirit which has been deliberately cultivated among the Japanese people by their militarists cannot be dissipated by a shift in the tide of affairs. It can only be exhausted in defeat. To defeat the Japanese we must first establish great striking power at bases from which we can reach the centres of Japanese military strength. To do this we must move simultaneously across Burma into China and Siam, across Alaska into the remotest of the Aleutians and possibly into Siberia and Kamchatka.

The accompanying map is intended to suggest the possible aims of Russian grand strategy. Now that the Vitebsk-Leningrad Railway has been cut, the Russians may broaden their offensive north of Velikie Luki and assail the Warsaw-Leningrad Railway at the Pskov junction on Lake Peipus. This would isolate the German armies around Leningrad. Simultaneously, Soviet armies might sweep in a great arc southward toward Vitebsk in the hope of isolating the German forces in the Smolensk salient.

The third objective is, of course, to pin the German forces into the Upper Caucasus and Lower Don areas. The three German Army groups thus to be enveloped and reduced occupy the territories marked 1, 2 and 3 on the map.

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SEARCHING FOR MISSING PLANE

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southern sector of Vancouver Island.

The chief hope among Gilliam's Alaskan friends is pinned on his flying skill under the difficult conditions of the North.

Gilliam has figured in many spectacular air exploits and always has found a way out.

Shinn, who is vice-president of Morrison-Knudsen, a Boise, Idaho, concern with large contracts in Alaska, said Canadian planes were searching the valleys, forests, inlets and beaches of Vancouver Island. He said hope was held that the plane might have been forced down and had its radio damaged. The party was equipped with camping equipment and emergency rations.

SEARCH WHOLE COAST

Aircraft from all Royal Canadian Air Force bases on the British Columbia coast have joined in the search for the Morrison-Knudsen Company transport plane with six persons aboard, missing since Tuesday afternoon on a flight from Seattle to Anchorage, Western Air Command headquarters announced tonight.

The search was not localized, headquarters said, but embraced the entire coast.

ALL-OUT FOR VICTORY

DAVENPORT, Ia., Jan. 7 (AP).—A sow of the Floyd Metzger Farm bore twenty-seven pigs today, and an official at Des Moines exclaimed: "Wow, that's a miracle."

The Davenport farmer reported seven of the pigs died but the other twenty "show signs of reaching the pork chop stage."

Three other sows on the Metzger Farm, also apparently bent on going all out in the food for victory programme, produced fifty-two more pigs, bringing the total to seventy-nine within twenty-four hours.

INVENTOR DEAD

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP)—Nikola Tesla, eighty-five, an electrical inventor, died tonight in his suite at the Hotel New Yorker.

Members of the hotel staff reported Tesla had been in failing health for the past two years. He was found dead in bed. With emphatic ideas on personal health as well as electrical engineering, Tesla was a vegetarian and had his meals especially prepared for him.

Born in Austria-Hungary, Tesla began his career at Budapest, in 1881 where he made his first electrical invention, a telephone repeater. He also conceived the idea there for a rotating magnetic field.

LAST HOLD IN PAPUA CIRCLED

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others were probably shot down and four were damaged. Our losses were relatively light. Our attacks are continuing."

The communique announced triumphantly concerning the fighting around Sananande that "one of the primary objects of the (Papuan) campaign was the annihilation of the Japanese Papuan army under Lt.-Gen. Horii" and "this now can be regarded as accomplished."

Specifically it said of the ground struggle:

"The Sananande position has now been completely enveloped. A remnant of the enemy's forces is entrenched there and faces certain destruction. With its elimination, Papua will be entirely cleared of the enemy."

Concerning the Japanese convoy in Huon Bay, the communique did not make clear its purpose, although its direction toward Lae might indicate a decision of the enemy to reinforce heavily that base northwest of Papua, in view of developments in the latter sector. Allied bombers sank or fired at least nine and possibly ten Japanese vessels among a huge concentration of ships at Rabaul earlier this week and such a convoy might well have come from that point, which is readily accessible to Huon Gulf.

STOCKHOLM (CP)—Simultaneous agreements have been reached by Government negotiators with Swedish trade unions on wages, and with Sweden's farmers on prices in the Government's anti-inflation programme.

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Linen Writing Tablets 15¢ · Gauze Bandage 15¢
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Friday, January 8, 1943

A PIONEER PASSES

All that remains of Diego (Tony) Zarelli in earthly form will be laid at rest today under the quiet firs at Colwood, and Victoria will have lost a friend. It was some fifty-three years ago that a young man gravitated to this city from Carolei Italy, by way of Philadelphia and Tacoma. Now at the age of eighty-two he has laid down the life that he found, and helped many others to find, so rich and so dear. Some men become known for their outstanding deeds, others for their wealth or position, but "Tony," as he was universally known, will be remembered chiefly for what he was; A quiet, friendly soul, a philosopher who had found the good life, and who radiated that illusive thing, contentment.

Tony had charm. In searching for the roots of that quality one would have to know many things. There was, far off but never forgotten, the sunny warmth of a sunny land, and its permanent effect on the human heart. There was, perhaps, a sense of escape from the old world to the new. There was the new freedom to do, to be and to become, with which, specially in pioneer times, there was mixed a genial camaraderie and human friendliness. There were, too, adversities faced and conquered. Beyond that again there was "the family," and "Tony" was proud of his family, of his home, of his growing, clever children.

Some men acquire distinction when they enter the Senate of Canada, and take their places as the elders of this country in its law-making. Others achieve outstanding things in the physical world, in the counting houses, or in the marts of trade. "Tony" achieved undeniable distinction, but it came from a lifetime of humble service, shining boots and shoes. His triumph, then, was a personal one, and is all the more real for that. Generations of men and of women grew up in Victoria knowing "Tony"—and liking him. If ever they found him with a cross word at his lips they would have been surprised. Somewhere deep down inside of "Tony" the sun shone, perpetually, no matter what the weather outside.

Thousands of individuals in this city will remember "Tony's" slow-blooming smile, and his soft, mellow voice. They will remember the innate gentleness and courtesy of the man; and his constant refusal to hear ill spoken of anyone, no matter for what cause. They will recall his cheery "good morning", spoken at first in Italian, but for many, many years in our own tongue. People said "Hello" and "Goodbye" to "Tony" instinctively, just like they would have said both to their parents on entering or leaving the house. For himself, and of himself, "Tony" spoke little; but his eyes were eloquent with the dancing charm of those who come from a sunny, happy land.

Victoria, in its hundred years of settlement, has known many pioneers. There will be few, however, who today, or upon any other day, will challenge the statement that Diego (Tony) Zarelli ranked with the best of them all. His particular contribution to life was something intangible, but very real, for he was a pioneer in human relations. He made friends with everybody. He had no enemies. If the Italy he had known in his boyhood had remained as he knew it, the world would be a much brighter and happier place today. This community is taking its leave of "Tony" but it will not forget him.

ADVANCES IN AVIATION

In a welter of air development forced by the stern necessities of war, it is difficult to pick out any one event and to say that that was the highlight of 1942. Judged from a long-term standpoint, however, the development of the cargo-carrying plane may cast more shadows into the future than any other single advance in aviation made last year. Here, while we watch, is freight going aloft, and in machines that have themselves extended human imagination in what is possible with airfoils and engines. The result can now be measured in flying tons.

It is not difficult to see what such a step may mean to the world when peace is again restored. From cargo planes to airliners, larger than any human mind may envision at present, may be but one step, once the practical difficulties of size have been overcome. We have been accustomed to think, quite incorrectly of late, of planes as small and somewhat unstable contrivances, which, by virtue of skill and engine power, can somehow take to the air. The facts are that flying long ago became safe and dependable, and on full parity with any other means of transportation. Today some planes are as large as tugboats. Tomorrow they may have grown again.

It is difficult to escape the conviction that when peace comes flying will enter an entirely new era. For one thing, there will be a world over which to fly, with vast distances across continents and oceans in linking together the populations of a globe. Engineering advance alone has taken the aerial motor out of its experimental stages, leaving a sound hard-working and fully dependable power plant instead. Design and construction have also advanced far, until the day of the really large plane is no longer a dream, or wishful thinking.

In this we have taught ourselves some things, and the enemy has taught us others. Troop-carrying planes were the forerunners of the cargo plane. For here, too, bulk and weight had to be stowed and lifted off the ground. Outside of those versed in aerodynamics, it is difficult for the public to imagine the genuine and tremendous advances made in these fields. The conception of flying tons would have made pioneers in flight laugh in derision. Now, however, we can measure some air loads by a hundred flying tons. Once the gap between the "small" plane and the "large" plane is crossed, who can rightly say where the next limitation may be? No one who has watched the progress of the past few years would hazard as much as a guess.

There is, in all of this, a reminder for Canada. After this war ends we shall have thousands of young men who will have had great experience in the air, or in servicing machines upon the ground. Conserved and kept together, these men will be fully trained and qualified air-crews for the limitless ocean of the sky. Allowed to disperse, or seek other fields of employment, these crews will be dissipated, as was actually the sorry case in 1919. Canada should not make that mistake again. This time, let us keep our contact with the skies, for those skies now cover the whole world.

THE FIGHT IS AHEAD

Events of the last few weeks, notably the growing success of the Russian counter-offensive in the East and the preliminary weakening of the enemy's position in both the Mediterranean and the Pacific, have produced what amounts to a wave of optimism on our side. To some extent that may be justified, but not if we are permitted to forget that the real fight lies ahead. We have stopped our enemies, but have not smashed them. In the light of that condition, the fewer predictions we make as to the length of the war, or the imminent collapse of one or more of our enemies, the less foolish we shall appear when time produces its uncontested answers.

By all logical modes of reckoning the German army is still a powerful machine, and one that will not be blown out of existence by any degree of wishful thinking. That will take fighting, and the battle still lies ahead. All that has been proved—and war is forever what can be proved in the face of the enemy—is that Germany will have to fight on multiple fronts when the final battles come. In this war, as in the last, Germany has shown herself to be an aggressive, determined foe. There will be no yielding short of her outright defeat in arms. That, at least, is the only safe way for us to think.

In respect of Japan, the facts lead still less to any marked degree of unconditioned optimism. The mere calling of names will get us nowhere. Where that practice is resorted to by those in high authority, a misdirection is given to the people. The situation in the Pacific has progressed in our favor in recent months. The task ahead has been lessened, but not resolved into its final components. It is the course of wisdom to believe that there, too, the battle lies ahead.

To say so is not for a moment to minimize what 1942 brought, with considerable benefit, to our side, nor to weaken our confidence in an assured and final victory. That end will come the sooner, however, if we remember that 1943 is a fighting new year, and may bring the show-down fighting of the whole war. Opposing us are desperate, fanatical enemies. On our side is a world fully determined to be free. The issue is there, and the battle lies ahead. "Pass the ammunition" would be, for us, a safer, truer guide.

ESCAPING STORMS

A small item in the Eastern press the other day told briefly of how one transcontinental telephone system had laid 1,600 miles of buried cable in the last three years. The item was inconspicuous and might have easily escaped attention, yet what it said was of some importance to the public. To a degree that is seldom realized, long distance telephone conversations depend upon aerial lines, supported on poles or otherwise above the ground. The buried cable is the storm-free line, in service on 365 days in the year.

Ever since the turn of the century men have foreseen that telephone wires would, one day, have to go underground. There were high costs and other obstacles to the general adoption of such a course. The war, however, has forced action against difficulties that might have been considered insurmountable in times of peace. One result was the burying of 1,600 miles of telephone cable by one transcontinental system. Others, likewise, have been busy. Some day all long circuits will be underground, with the elimination of tie-ups from electrical storms, wind storms, snow and icing sufficient to break down surface wires. That will be the day of the lineman's holiday, and he may become a conduit worker underground.

To an even greater extent, and for much the same cause, changes are coming in road construction, at least in urban areas. The old practice of deciding upon a street, and then laying it down in one level sheet is about gone. Cities nowadays can design their roads on an all-inclusive basis, with sewers in one level, fire-alarm, light and telephone cables on another; surface drains and water on a third, and so on. In proportion as that is done, street repairs are lessened, and the work becomes a permanent fixture. In design, at least, modern city streets have a commodious cellar.

Perhaps another century will go by before these obvious expedients are fully adopted by man. At present, the war is the deciding factor, and understandably so. But man will be forever at war with the elements, which operate both day and night. The cost of blow-downs on transcontinental telephone systems alone runs into large sums yearly. How much more is lost with patching-and-picking on city streets can hardly be estimated. Yet, underground, and not far underground at that, is a safe, calm, storm-free area waiting to be used. In our long-range thinking we should remember that.

A HUMAN ADMONITION

On the eve of his eighty-third birthday, at Toronto, Sir Charles G. D. Roberts, an author for more than sixty years, advised people to "Work hard, and play fair." That is advice that is fully understood in the highlands of Scotland, on the fringe of the frontier in our own great Dominion, and, perhaps, more generally in the world than might be suspected at first glance. Understood or not, the advice is sound. There are few problems that will not yield before work. There is no course of human conduct sounder than fair dealing, which carries its own dividends with it. In the course of a long and vigorous lifetime, Sir Charles has been an indefatigable worker, as the titles of his books, from natural history, through history to poetry, will disclose.

NOW DREARY DAWNS THE EASTERN LIGHT

Now dreary dawns the eastern light,
And fall of eve is drear,
And cold the poor man lies at night,
And so goes out the year.
Little is the luck I've had,
And oh 'tis comfort small
To think that many another lad
Has had no luck at all.

—A. E. Housman

Whatever strengthens our local attachments is favorable both to individual and national character. Our home, our birthplace, our native land. Think for a while what the virtues are which arise out of the feelings connected with these words, and if you have any intellectual eyes you will then perceive the connection between topography and patriotism.—Southey

The opportunity of making happy is more scarce than we imagine; the punishment of missing it is never to meet with it again, and the use we make of it leaves us an eternal sentiment of satisfaction or repentance.—Rousseau.

Note and Comment

By SANDHAM GRAVES

If you wish to look for Spring in Winter, you will find it. It is peeping out at you now from the privet hedge, from the tips of the chestnut tree, from the catkins, furred and warm. You can find it among the robins, who banded but did not go South. It is looking over your shoulder when you read the paper an hour earlier in the morning, and as you walk home by daylight at night. If you had any remaining doubts, you would need only to listen to the sparrows. It is an open secret with them.

Spring is the time of terminal changes in nearly all growing things. This year, I dare you to follow the chestnut tree, from the unfolding of its sticky leaf buds, to its full and glorious foliage. You will see the brown leaf buds break not so very long from now. You will see the terminal leaves uncurl. You will see the miniature flower standards thrown up like jack-in-the-boxes, seemingly from nowhere. On the standards will come the pink and white blossoms, which fall a few days later in a colored petal rain. There on the standards will be the chestnuts, pea-sized. Watch them grow. Watch the full-leafed tree change from a bare, bleak skeleton. It is a miracle, that.

Regard the acacia tree. There is other magic there. Almost overnight you can see it happen. There are leaves to set. There are flowers, in their white clusters, to unfold. There is a huge expanse of mast to be greeted with small green sails. It is an exciting voyage for the acacia tree, through Spring and on into Summer as the old Earth turns on its way around the sun. The mountain ash, the laburnum, the arbutus, they all have their grand, official entries into Spring.

Watch the Street of the Hawthorn Trees this Spring if you do nothing else. There is magic for you! Go the gnarled and twisted stems—very carefully pruned this year, and the better for that—you will see such magic as even the camera cannot catch. Overnight, here, too, you will see green sprout at the tip ends of the branches, see the green mass grow into a full mantle; see the flower buds form green at first, and then flaring into sudden color. Pink and white, the Street of the Hawthorn Trees will stand, not many weeks from now, in a blaze of glory. A Queen stopped her car to look at it once. You can do no less.

Of course it is Winter now. We are all agreed upon that. Nine gales in a row and more rain than we bargained for nearly cost us our reputation as a city of sunshine but not quite. At the door of Winter, and already with one toe in, stands Spring. Watch for it this year. Don't let it take you by surprise. You will be sharing an experience common to all mankind, in every land and on every continent. It is the rebirth of life on the grey old planet. See it come. Watch it grow. It is alive with miracles, everywhere. Only listen to the birds. They know.

Let Spring get one toe into the doorway, and you will be amazed as what comes next. Winter may have many a sting left in it yet, but Spring is there with the bandages, right behind. Presently the soil will yield up myriad forms of life. Presently the birds will disappear on long, mysterious errands. Presently you will see people with smiles on their faces and that is miracle enough!

Sunrise and Sunset

The dim-out period will commence at 6:06 tonight and continue until 8:34 Saturday morning.

JANUARY

Times of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1943
(Add one hour for Pacific Daylight time.)

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	8 06	4 28	17	7 59	4 48
2	8 06	4 29	18	7 58	4 49
3	8 06	4 30	19	7 58	4 51
4	8 06	4 31	20	7 57	4 52
5	8 05	4 33	21	7 56	4 53
6	8 05	4 35	22	7 55	4 55
7	8 05	4 36	23	7 54	4 57
8	8 04	4 38	24	7 53	4 58
9	8 04	4 37	25	7 48	5 00
10	8 04	4 38	26	7 51	5 01
11	8 03	4 40	27	7 50	5 02
12	8 03	4 41	28	7 48	5 03
13	8 02	4 42	29	7 46	5 06
14	8 01	4 44	30	7 44	5 06
15	8 01	4 45	31	7 46	5 08
16	8 00	4 46			

Meteorological Office, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

MUSKRATS NEW DISH

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 7 (AP)—Louisiana muskrats, dressed up for the table as "marsh hares," are concentrated here in large quantities for shipment to the Eastern and Midwestern United States as a delicacy to supplant depleted meat stocks. State Conservation Commissioner Joseph L. McHugh, said one buyer, who uses the pelts for furs, has 17,000 carcasses dressed for market and frozen in a local storage plant ready for sale.

Prepare Budget For New Session

EDMONTON, Jan. 7 (CP)—Provincial Treasurer Solon Low disclosed here that with the opening of the next session of the Alberta Legislature now set for February 18, he is already at work preparing the budget to be presented to the Assembly, but would make no predictions as to what it might hold in store for Albertans.

However, the minister did indicate there probably will be little or no new taxation, saying "I have hope we will not have to resort to anything very drastic in the way of taxation."

Government financial circles pointed out, however, that Alberta stands to lose close to $1,000,000 in annual revenue through imposition of the recent Dominion Government-ordered restrictions on liquor and beer sales.

The whole question of liquor control and distribution is to be discussed at a meeting of Provincial Liquor Board chairmen in Toronto early in February, and it is believed the main discussion will be uniformity of control to cut down revenue losses as much as possible.

Observation Car

By G. B.

The Indian army is now placed at 1,500,000 men with an average of 68,000 volunteers swelling it monthly . . . Counterfeit ration cards for clothing, calculated to give the Nazis a few headaches, have been dropped over Germany by Allied bombing planes . . . In Germany, persons may be tried for crimes they have not committed, but may be capable of committing . . . Next month the Rubber Reserve Corporation of Caracas, Venezuela, plans to make an aerial survey of the jungles to spot rubber trees . . . In Norway it is forbidden to print obituaries of persons executed by the Nazis even if the cause of death is omitted. Norwegian journalists cannot advertise for positions; advertisements stressing urgent need for apartments are banned, and death notices must not indicate that war was responsible . . . "Winter has not been too bad, so far," we remarked to a plumber. "I guess you are right," he sourly replied, "I have not yet been called to thaw out water pipes for six years" . . . If the city engineer reads this he may plaster a spot of white paint on the curb at the southwest corner of Burdett Avenue and Vancouver Street. The masked street light at that location is on the opposite corner and sheds absolutely no light on the point where traffic proceeding east on Burdett Avenue makes ready to turn south on Vancouver Street . . . "So you want your hair parted exactly in the middle?" Bill, the Broad Street barber asked a customer after administering a shave and trim. "I thought you heard me the first time. Yes, I want it parted in the middle," the customer grouchily answered. "Then I shall have to pull out one hair. You have only five on top." Willie laughed.

Tides at Victoria

JANUARY

Time of tides (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1943

Date	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft	Time H M	Ht Ft
1	1 36	8 7	10 04	6 1	17 40	4 1		
2			10 30	8 4	18 24	3 1		
3			11 04	9 0	18 [illegible]	3 1		
4	3 17	7 6	5 07	7 7	11 49	10 0	18 44	1 2
5	3 20	8 2	7 14	8 0	12 25	10 1	20 28	1 0
6	5 37	8 5	8 17	8 0	13 09	10 1	21 07	0 4
7	6 20	8 7	9 08	8 0	13 50	6 6	21 50	0 0
8	6 55	8 8	10 02	7 8	18 30	6 4	22 35	1 0
9	7 18	8 6	11 02	7 [illegible]	15 38	6 0	23 30	1 7
10	7 30	8 6	12 00	7 1	16 40	7 0		
11	[illegible]	2 6	7 42	8 8	11 26	6 5	17 48	7 0
12	0 44	8 7	8 20	9 0	14 50	5 8	18 54	6 6
13	1 30	8 8	8 50	8 0	15 15	5 0	22 18	8 0
14	3 03	8 8	9 10	8 0	17 17	4 3		
15			10 03	9 0	17 56	3 8		
16			10 30	8 0	18 20	3 8		
17	4 35	8 0	6 31	8 2	11 08	8 0	18 14	2 2
18	5 04	8 0	6 54	8 2	11 00	8 0	18 40	2 1
19	5 25	8 0	7 44	8 4	13 08	8 0	20 21	1 8
20	6 00	8 0	8 35	8 2	12 33	9 0	20 55	1 2
21	6 30	8 4	8 04	8 1	12 54	9 0	21 37	1 6
22	6 [illegible]	8 0	9 40	8 0	13 33	8 7	21 50	2 1
23	7 09	8 5	10 20	1 8	13 [illegible]	8 4	22 31	2 1
24	7 28	8 4	11 05	7 5	14 29	8 0	23 16	2 6
25	7 34	8 0	11 55	7 1	15 40	7 3	23 40	3 0
26	7 34	8 4	12 60	8 0	17 05	7 0		
27	8 10	6 1	1 38	8 5	12 01	8 6	16 20	6 5
28	0 40	4 9	6 01	8 0	14 57	3 3	20 07	6 1
29	0 58	3 6	6 20	6 9	15 50	4 4		
30			6 03	8 3	16 50	3 5		
31			0 44	8 4	17 40	2 8		

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the table, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt Drydock at any tide, add 18 feet to the height of high water as above given.

HAS 156 DESCENDANTS

SITTINGBOURNE, Kent, England, Jan. 7 (CP)—Mrs. Emily Whitting, ninety-four, who is survived by 156 descendants, thirty of them in the armed forces, was buried yesterday. Two sons, five daughters, seventy-five grandchildren, seventy-three great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild survive her. Her eldest daughter had twenty-two children.

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION —Courtesy Montreal Gazette.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be published except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 300 words in length.

HOME GARDENS

Sir,—This letter is written in the hope that it may encourage readers to produce their own vegetables if they can possibly do so. Daily press reports continue to justify such steps. Increased shortages in vegetable production as well as in other commodities are not difficult to foresee. Those who were persuaded by the local Victory Garden Committee to grow vegetables last year have had no cause to regret the action. Some vegetables are unobtainable. Practically all have risen in price since last year. One thing is sure; conditions in 1943 will be much more difficult than they were in 1942.

There is no need to review all the factors of production and distribution which have led to present condition, but let us briefly review the potato situation. The 1941 crop was reduced by disease and a wet harvest period which resulted in shortages on the local market last Winter. The 1942 crop, also reduced by disease, was withheld, in part, by the farmers due to the unsatisfactory basic price. Unless I am badly mistaken, there will be shortages again next Winter. If the farmers can't get what they believe to be fair prices for their potatoes, they are going to change to crops which will yield a greater profit or those which take less labor to produce. The fact that the armed forces have first call on local food supplies, and potatoes in particular, should not be overlooked by civilians.

A recent announcement states that the Dominion Minister of Agriculture and his assistants have left for Washington to confer with the United States Secretary of Agriculture on a joint agricultural policy for both countries. Our economic relationship is so closely intermeshed with that of the United States that when United States announces rationing of canned goods one may be sure that similar rationing will also be undertaken in Canada before long. What does this mean? A large proportion of people who have been accustomed to getting quick meals with the use of canned vegetables will be forced to purchase fresh vegetables in competition with those who habitually use the fresh product. It is doubtful if increased production of fresh vegetables will then meet the demand. A few weeks ago it was also announced that production of vegetables such as lettuce and celery which are bulky and utilize considerable labor, would have to be curtailed in United States. Here on Vancouver Island, Chinese truck farmers have lost many of their laborers to higher-paid war industries and their production has dropped sharply—despite job freezing.

Undoubtedly, other factors will continue to affect production, so the safe course is to grow a balanced supply of vegetables for each month of the year—particularly the lean Winter months and try to be as self-sufficient as possible. Don't leave it too late. Now is the time to prepare.

W. H. WARREN,
Parks Superintendent.
Parks Department, City Hall, Victoria, B.C., January 6, 1943.

ACTS AS BARRIER

Sir,—We have heard and read a lot lately about use of available space for extra housing. The officials of the National Housing Registry with offices throughout Canada are no doubt sincere in their efforts, but, have not their efforts been severely checkmated by the order in council from Ottawa dated December 8, 1942, changing the compulsory legal notice to tenants from three months to one year?

This order has thrown the whole rental situation into a state of flux, houses and rooms that could be rented are taken off the rental market, the owners preferring to keep them off the rental market until sold, putting a premium on vacant houses for sale.

In these times no one can look ahead a year or more and scores of people, both property owners and tenants, with whom I have discussed this matter are bewildered, and, mostly have taken a definite stand that they will not willingly be regimented by ill-advised legislation that they can see no sense in.

How can such legislation help our war effort?

Property owners do not desire with changing conditions over which they have no control, to rent their premises for definite periods of years and take chances of having tenants who may prove unsatisfactory carry on indefinitely and who cannot even be given a year's notice without a sworn affidavit that the owner will live in the premises for not less than one year after the tenant finally moves out.

The whole thing is far too cumbersome and will undoubtedly do great harm to real estate values and home ownership.

In my humble opinion the officials of the National Housing Registry would be well advised to ask for a rescinding of the December 8 order and they will then have a much better chance of co-operation from our citizens.

FRANK H. PARTRIDGE.
131 Wellington Avenue, Victoria, B.C., January 6, 1943.

MAPS HELPFUL

Sir,—The maps you publish in The Daily Colonist of the war zones, I, for one much appreciate. You probably are receiving thanks from others for them.

They help one to locate and understand the geographical places referred to in the news columns.

ARTHUR HINDER.
59 Moss Street, Victoria, B.C., January 6, 1943.

ALIEN STUDENTS

Editor's Note: A considerable amount of correspondence has been received on this subject, all of it to take exception to the admission of German or Japanese students at Canadian universities while our men are away fighting those nations at the front. Since the Northern Miner's item was published, however, some explanation was made by the university in question, wherein it was stated that the Germans concerned were German Jews, and anti-Nazis. While The Daily Colonist does not agree with the course taken by the board of governors of Toronto University in any part, no useful purpose would be served by keeping the correspondence alive. The objection has been vigorously made, and noted.

Foresees Power Dam on Columbia River Near Trail

A prediction that a huge dam will be constructed at Castlegar, B.C., on the Columbia River at the lower end of the Arrow Lakes near Trail, was made yesterday by Rufus Woods, publisher of The Wenatchee Daily World, who visited the city yesterday.

The dam would create a reservoir 150 miles in length, he said. Plans for such a project were discussed at a meeting in Nelson, to which he had been invited by the Joint International Commission of the United States and Canada, Mr. Woods said.

Mr. Woods, whose paper supported the Grand Coulee project for thirteen years, said the Columbia River will not be fully developed as a power project until seven more dams are constructed. Those already built are at Grand Coulee, Bonneville and Rock Island, and are now providing electricity for important aluminum plants.

HOARDED BUTTER

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP).—Indications of considerable butter hoarding were found in reports received from householders by the Ottawa regional office of the Prices Board. In the Ottawa area 223 consumers, all private householders, reported a total of 5,404 pounds of butter on hand when butter rationing came into effect. The total represented an average of twenty-four pounds for each household reporting.

According to Culbertson

"Dear Mr. Culbertson,—After the tumult and the shouting over the enclosed hand had died down, wagers superseded insults, and by general agreement you were appointed referee. First, the entire deal:

"South, dealer.
North-South vulnerable.
Rubber bridge.

NORTH
♠ K J 10 8 3 2
♥ A 6 3
♦ J 7
♣ J

WEST
♠ A 5 4
♥ J
♦ K 10 9 8 6 4
♣ K 8 6

EAST
♠ 7
♥ 10 9 7 5
♦ 3 2
♣ 9 7 5 4 3 2

SOUTH
♠ Q 6
♥ K Q 8 4 2
♦ A Q 5
♣ A Q 10

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♥	2 ♦	2 ♠	Pass
2 NT	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
3 NT	Pass	5 ♠	Pass
6 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

"The six no trump contract went down a trick. West opened a spade. South won with the queen and returned a spade. West went up with the ace and promptly exited with his third spade, dummy winning. Declarer led a low heart to the king and a low heart back to the ace. When the break became known, he ran the spade suit, discarding from his own hand in such a way as to hold the heart queen and diamond ace blank, and the A-Q of clubs. He then took the club finesse, which, of course, lost.

"Now for the wagers: North maintains that South should have passed to six spades and that the contract would easily have been fulfilled. South claims that his six no trump bid was correct because of his tenace positions. Who was right?"

This is one bet that I shall refuse to decide, because it never should have been made. South should have fulfilled his six no trump contract, and then North would have been too pleased to raise an issue.

After clearing the spade suit, declarer should have tested the heart break by cashing the king and queen. This would reveal East's stopper and simultaneously dictate the winning line of play, which would be for South to cash the diamond ace before returning to dummy with a heart to run the spade suit. On the bidding, it was at least four to one that West had the club king. Acting on that assumption, South should run off the entire spade suit, discarding his queen and six of diamonds, his worthless hearts and his ten of clubs. The last spade lead would squeeze West and make it impossible for him to protect both kings. If he discarded the diamond king, dummy's jack would be good. If he blanked the club king, declarer would lead the club jack to the ace and cash the queen for the fulfilling trick.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 8, 1868)

The Capital Question—We are credibly informed that a bearer of dispatches on the Capital question arrived from the Colonial Office on the last mail steamer. The dispatches instruct Governor Seymour to fix the Seat of Government at Victoria and were sent forward by the Enterprise on Friday last. We expect the proclamation down tomorrow.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 8, 1893)

Vacation Over—There was a full attendance at all the public schools yesterday, despite the inclemency of weather. The High School had an unusually large attendance—100 responding to the roll call as compared with 78 last year. This increase is due to the number of promotions at the end of the term.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of January 8, 1918)

Represented at Investiture—The Victoria soldier who represented British Columbia at the great investiture held by His Majesty the King in Hyde Park in July last, when 375 heroes of all ranks were honored for gallantry, arrived in Victoria recently in the person of Sergeant R. M. King of Esquimalt. He stated the investiture was one of the most impressive sights he has seen.

MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

LEAVES LITTLE TO BE DESIRED

High Rate of Recoveries for Canadian Naval Personnel Most Gratifying

MONTREAL, Jan. 7 (CP).—After thirty-seven months of war, deaths in the Royal Canadian Navy from "organic disease or infection" totaled only thirty-three in 455,000 hospital days, it is reported in the current issue of The Canadian Medical Association Journal.

The author, Surgeon Captain A. McCallum, navy medical director-general, said in his report, based on collected articles of members of the medical branch, that two-thirds of the patients who died had "little or no chance for recovery or any known method of treatment." He emphasized that the cases included almost 1,200 infectious ailments of a serious nature.

From the examination, to August, 1942, by the medical branch of 36,916 recruits, of whom 4,001 were rejected for various ailments or incapacities, the report drew the conclusion that this "implies a very favorable state of fitness in the country as a whole."

Captain McCallum said poor vision was the cause of rejection of the greatest number of cases—933. He went on:

"Comparing the life of a civilian working in comparatively sanitary factories with adequate ventilation, and spending the rest of his time in the comforts of his home, to the life of a sailor in sea-going ships, confronted with the rigors of a North Atlantic gale or housed in crowded barracks, it would appear that the general health of the 'troops' leaves little to be desired."

The report showed that infectious conditions encountered from the start of the war until last September 30 were as follows:

Forty-two cases of cerebrospinal meningitis, with two deaths; 546 cases of pneumonia, three deaths; 372 cases of scarlet fever, no deaths; 230 cases of diphtheria, no deaths.

Three deaths from peritonitis and two from appendicitis also were included in the thirty-three deaths reported by Captain McCallum.

The medical branch of the R.C.N. had at the date of the writing 255 medical officers serving at home or on the sea, the report said.

DRINKING LESS GROG

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP).—The Royal Navy is turning more and more from rum to milk. The navy reported today that only 40 per cent of its sailors now take their rum ration compared with 65 per cent in 1924, 88 per cent in 1913 and 91 per cent in 1850. It said 24,000,000 cans of condensed milk were supplied to the fleet in recent months.

GOODWILL ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting of the Saanich Goodwill Association will be held on Friday, January 15, at the rooms, 3291 Douglas Street at 3 p.m. A short business meeting will be held at 2:10 of the same day.

For Outstanding Services

AT a recent investiture in England, four Canadian officers were decorated by the King having been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for outstanding service. They are shown just outside Buckingham Palace gates, and from left to right, they are: Squadron Leader Norman H. Bretz, Toronto; Squadron Leader Lloyd Chadburn, Toronto; Flight Lieutenant J. R. Sterne, Edmonton, and Pilot Officer Frank Myirea, Victoria.

R.C.A.F. Casualties

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP).—The R.C.A.F. in its 466th casualty list of the war tonight reported ten men missing after air operations overseas and four missing, believed killed, during air operations overseas. Four British Columbians were in the overseas' list. They were Sgt. Lennard Albert Hoskins, of Westbank, missing, believed killed during air operations; Sgt. Maurice George Low, of 2640 Jutland Street, New Westminster, missing, believed killed during air operations; P.O. Albert Carey Moore, of Royston, missing after air operations; Flt. Sgt. William John Vendervoort, of 2596 Cornwall Street, Vancouver, missing after air operations.

Two men were listed as killed on active service in Canada and three are missing, believed killed, during flying operations in Canada. The five were members of a medium bomber which crashed near Salt Spring Island near Vancouver Island, last December 17. The bomber crew included three Englishmen, a Toronto airman and one from Long Island, N.Y.

The overseas section of the list also reported one man killed on active service, one previously reported missing, believed killed, now officially presumed dead, and three previously reported missing now officially presumed dead. The Canada section also reported one man dead as a result of injuries received on active service and one who died accidentally. The list also named one Canadian in the R.A.F. who was reported missing after air operations overseas. Following is the latest list of casualties:

Overseas—Killed on active service: P.O. Robert Mercer Adams, Toronto. Missing, believed killed, during air operations: Sgt. Joseph George Dukick, Paterson, N.J.; Sgt. Donald Lafe Erickson, Saskatoon; Sgt. Lennard Albert Hoskins, R106591, A. C. Hoskins (father), Westbank, B.C.; Sgt. Maurice George Low, R106544, W. R. Low (father), 2640 Jutland Street, New Westminster, B.C. Missing after air operations: P.O. Normen Alexander Allen, Toronto; P.O. Albert Moore Carey, J10622, Capt. J. W. M. Carey (father), Royston, B.C.; P.O. Eugene Edeard Chouiniere, Honolulu, Hewall; P.O. Alfred Joseph Parkyn, Palisades Park, N.J.; P.O. Irwin Edward Stillwell Robinson, Prescott, Ont.; Flt. Sgt. James Louis Guichard, Trenton, Mich.; Flt. Sgt. William John Vandervoort, R74630, E. S. Vandervoort (father), 2596 Cornwall Street, Vancouver; Sgt. James McGregor Allan, Mimico, Ont.; Sgt. Herbert Allenby Harris, Toronto; Sgt. William David Wendt, Westport, Minn. Previously reported missing, believed killed, now for official purposes presumed dead: Sgt. Philip Damon Dempsey, Stratford, Ont. Previously reported missing, now for official purposes presumed dead: F.O. John Patrick Ryan, Timeru, N.Z.; P.O. Phil Clive Budd, Toronto; P.O. Allan George Griffith, Saskatoon.

Canada—Killed on active service: Sgt. Norman Arthur Albert Bastick, Ewhem, Surrey, England; Sgt. Kenneth John Bowler, Hamhan, Bristol. (Bastick and Bowler were killed when a medium bomber crashed near Salt Spring Island, off Vancouver Island, December 17). Died as a result of injuries sustained on active service: A.C.1 Frederick John Lee Dickens, Man. Died accidentally: Sgt. Arthur William Francis Lawrence, Hamilton. Missing, believed killed during flying operations: Sgt. Alphonse Michael Bellotti, Woodside, L.I., N.Y.; Sgt. Sidney James Conlon, Toronto; Sgt. Robert Alfred Meun, Brantford, Middlesex, England. (Bellotti, Conlon and Meun were listed as missing after the crash of the bomber off Salt Spring Island in which Bastick and Bowler were killed).

Canadian in the Royal Air Force Overseas—Missing after air operations: Flt. Lt. William MacKenzie Roderick Griffin, Toronto.

Young Flyer Is Now Presumed Dead

FLT. SGT. J. A. THOMPSON

SON of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kibbie, 1544 Morley Street, who is now presumed dead after being listed as missing following a bomb raid over Essen in June last. Flt. Sgt. Thompson arrived in Victoria three years ago. After enlisting in the naval service he transferred to the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Northbound Boat Strikes Reef on Entrance Island

NANAIMO, Jan. 7 (CP).—Seven persons who had a narrow escape from drowning when the fifty-foot launch Hatfield struck a reef while en route from Seattle to Alaska were here today awaiting word as to how soon the craft could be repaired.

Captain Dan Storkweather, E. R. Ismond, Clifford Treese, Gail Urquhart, Clifford Cournoyer, Fel Ordonia and John Mebeley were rescued from their sinking craft Tuesday night by Robert Pilcher, lighthouse-keeper at nearby Entrance Island, and an assistant named Oberg.

The seven had left Anacortes, Wash., Tuesday morning northbound for Prince Rupert, B.C., and Skagway, Alaska. They struck the reef about 8.15 that night and although drenched with surf were taken safely to the lighthouse. They remained there until the following day when they were picked up by the Atrevido regular ferry running between here and Gabriola Island.

The tug Polar Porcite brought the submerged craft here for repairs. Ismond said they would see if the Hatfield could be repaired in time to resume the trip.

MAIL AND SHIPS

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily at 1.30 a.m. for Vancouver; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily at 3.45 a.m. from Vancouver. Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily at midnight for Vancouver. Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will arrive Victoria daily at 7 a.m. from Vancouver. Saturdays only there will be a special sailing from Victoria for Vancouver at 1.30 a.m. Saturdays only a special sailing will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver at 8.45 a.m. Sundays only there will be a special sailing from Victoria for Vancouver at 4 p.m.; Sundays only a special sailing will arrive at Victoria from Vancouver at 3.45 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 4.35 a.m. Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 12.35 p.m. Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 6.45 a.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 8.45 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES — Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria for Port Angeles daily at 3.45 p.m. Ss. Iroquois will arrive at Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 1.45 a.m.

SWARTZ BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND — Mv. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay for Fulford Harbor daily except Wednesday at 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Mv. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swartz Bay daily except Wednesday at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY — Mv. Cascade will leave Brentwood for Mill Bay at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m. Mv. Cascade will leave Mill Bay for Brentwood daily at 9.30 a.m., 10.35 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 2.30 p.m., 3.30 p.m., 4.30 p.m., 6.30 p.m.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine or Ss. Princess Victoria will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturdays and Sundays at 7.30 a.m. and 3.45 p.m.; Saturdays only leave Nanaimo at 7.30 a.m., 7.45 p.m. and 3.15 p.m. Sundays only, leave Nanaimo at 8.45 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10.30 a.m. Tuesdays for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Ss. Princess Mary will arrive at Victoria via Gulf Islands at 6.35 p.m. Mondays.

NANAIMO-GABRIOLA — Mv. Atrevida will leave Canadian Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo, daily (except Wednesday), at 8.30 a.m. for Gabriola.

ROCKETS HELP ACCELERATION

Heavily-Laden Nazi Bombers Employ Device for Taking Off Quickly

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—A British aircraft authority said today rockets are used at the take-off of the German Junkers 88 medium bombers to give quick acceleration.

Writing in the annual review issue of Iron Age, steel trade journal, C. G. Grey, well known in the British aviation field, said such rocket-propelled starts have been used for two years.

Grey quoted an escaped Netherlands flyer as saying that "few things are more terrifying than to see a heavily-loaded bomber full of bombs and gasoline taking off at night with a huge rocket blazing under each wing and knowing that if one engine cuts the whole thing will turn over and go up in one burst of flame."

The author also reported that rockets are being used in another way by the Russians. He said two or three rocket bombs for ground attack are carried under each wing of the new Stomovik bomber-fighter. The bombs are carried on rails instead of normal bomb racks. They are fired electrically and are given their direction by sliding along the rails. This, he added, with their rocket propulsion, carried them more nearly in a straight line with the course of the plane than if they were ordinary units.

Grey said that the big, four-engine Focke-Wulf Kurriers, which have been harrying Atlantic convoys, start their trips from a big airdrome near Bordeaux in the south of France. They fly out around Ireland, up to Iceland and thence to Norway where they have a runway something over two miles long, from which they take off and fly on the reverse course.

To combat the Kurriers, Grey said, Britain has been catapulting Hurricanes from the decks of big merchant ships. If a Hurricane alighted on the water, however, it invariably turned over on its nose and killed or drowned the pilot, so the pilots took to bailing out with their parachutes after shooting down or chasing off the enemy.

In spite of the fact that each such engagement meant the loss of a Hurricane, the method has stopped Kurrier depredations, Grey said.

CLAIMS CONCERNING SHIPPING DONE AWAY WITH BY AGREEMENT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 (AP).—A marine agreement designed to eliminate loss of precious time and tonnage through damage claims and litigation has been signed by Great Britain and the United States, the State Department announced today.

In general the agreement does away with claims by either Government against the other arising out of ship collisions, damage to cargo or salvage services.

In future, if a collision occurs between a government-owned American ship and a government-owned British ship—whether warship or merchantman—no legal proceedings will be taken to determine the degree of blame and no claims for damages will be made by either side. Repairs will be undertaken at once "without thought of anything but getting the damaged ship back into service in the war effort at the earliest possible moment."

The provisions of the agreement regarding waiver of claims apply only to claims of one government against the other, not to claims between either government and private interests.

Substantial Cuts Made in War Risk Insurance Rates

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—Marine underwriters today announced further reductions in coast-wise and offshore war risk insurance rates.

Rates out of Seattle as far as Cape Spencer were halved with substantial reduction as far as Unimak Pass. The same trend applies to Alaskan rates out of other coast ports.

The two per cent rate on shipments between the Hawaiian Islands and United States and Canadian ports was reduced to one and a half per cent and the rate for shipments between the United States and Greenland was cut to seven and a half per cent from ten per cent.

One of the more important changes was on shipments between United States Atlantic ports and the West Indies and Caribbean ports where the rate was reduced to seven and a half per cent from eight and a half per cent. The rate between United States Atlantic ports not south of New York and Canadian Atlantic ports was cut to four per cent from eight per cent.

FLYER AWARDED MEDAL

LONDON, Jan. 8 (CP).—The Air Ministry today announced the award of the Distinguished Flying Medal to Flt. Sgt. George Edward Teasdale Nichols of Alberton South, P.E.I., a member of the R.C.A.F.

Young Victoria Flyer Wins Promotion

WING COMMANDER R. O. SHAW

WORD has been received here announcing the promotion of Squadron Leader Richard O. Shaw to wing commander rank. Wing Commander Shaw is serving in the East at present. He is a native of Victoria. He attended Monterey and Oak Bay High Schools and is a graduate of Kingston Military College. His mother resides at Seacroft Apartments, Beach Drive, and his father is in England. Wing Commander Shaw was married in Sydney, Nova Scotia, in 1939, his bride being the only daughter of Postmaster G. H. and Mrs. Gardiner.

MEDIUM-SIZED VESSEL SENT TO THE BOTTOM

BOSTON, Jan. 7 (AP).—Two torpedoes from an unseen enemy submarine sent a medium-sized United States merchantman to the bottom of the South Atlantic early in November, survivors reported today upon their arrival at Boston, after having been previously landed at another North Atlantic port.

Fourteen survivors said they believed that twenty-four of their shipmates lost their lives in the sinking, and added that they did not know the fate of other members of the ship's company of seventy-four.

The fourteen men were at sea thirteen days after the torpedoing, before they were picked up by a rescue ship which found a majority suffering severely from the experience.

COMMANDER OF RESERVE DIVISIONS, R.C.N.V.R., IS ON INSPECTION VISIT

Captain E. R. Brock, R.C.N.V.R., commanding officer of reserve divisions, who has been on the Coast for the past two weeks, reached Victoria Wednesday night. He is accompanied by Commander E. N. Richardson, R.C.N., director of naval education and selection board instructor, and Lieut. J. M. Wood, R.C.N.V.R., staff training officer, Toronto.

Captain Brock is in charge of recruiting for the Royal Canadian Navy across Canada, with the exception of the major naval bases on the East and West Coasts. The recruiting for the various sea cadet corps also comes under his direction and while here he will consult with Captain F. G. Hart, R.C.N., officer commanding H.M.C.S. Naden, where the Rainbow Sea Cadets undergo part-time training and Commander C. T. Beard, R.C.N., retired, president of the Victoria and Island Division of the Navy League of Canada, concerning the efforts being made to double the strength of the cadets this year. There are now some 6,000 boys in training and it is hoped to reach a total of 15,000 during 1943.

In connection with the work of the navy selection board Captain Brock said it had completed sittings aboard H.M.C.S. Discovery, Vancouver. The navy is having no trouble getting recruits for non-technical duties, but there is always room for artificers and cooks.

A.R.P. Activities

Saanich, District 6—The course of instruction which began in December will recommence next Monday, January 11, at 8 p.m. in Marigold Hall. Anyone interested in A.R.P. work is invited.

MALAHAT BRANCH OF LEGION MEETS

Reports Presented and Officers for 1943 Installed—New Members Are Enrolled

COBBLE HILL, Jan. 7.—The regular meeting of the Malahat Branch of the Canadian Legion was held Tuesday evening at Cobble Hill, and was well attended. H. O. Webber, retiring president, presided.

The president welcomed F. S. Greenhouse, who is joining the branch on transfer from Britannia Branch, Victoria. D. V. Palin and H. E. Hawking were enrolled, respectively as new and honorary members.

The yearly financial report was given, showing a satisfactory balance for the year, with all members paid up. Appreciation was expressed to the secretary-treasurer, O. H. Garrad, for his work. A donation of $5 was voted to the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund, accompanied by an appeal to the members to do all in their power to help this cause.

OFFICERS INSTALLED

The following officers for the ensuing year were installed by the retiring president: J. A. Whan, president; G. G. Orr, first vice-president; E. J. Clarke, second vice-president; J. G. Morley, C. Page and H. Warwick, executive.

W. J. Goode was elected sergeant at arms, and H. O. Webber and Rev. E. M. Willis were elected delegates to the district council. The retiring president spoke briefly on the year's work, giving thanks to the committee and members for their support. President-Elect Whan asked for the same co-operation given previous presidents. Plans were discussed for a dinner to be given by the Legion to the members of the Women's Auxiliary in appreciation of their co-operation. The members of the Legion will join after the dinner for a social evening.

NOTED ACTOR DIES

MASSEPEQUA, L.I., Jan. 7 (AP).—Wellace Erskine, British-born actor, eighty-three, died yesterday. His career extended through a half-century. He was well known in England and America as a Shakespearean actor.

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Parke-Davis Haliver Oil Capsules—100's	$1.55
Parke-Davis Natola Capsules—50's	$1.25
Squibb's Adex Tablets—80's	$1.00
Squibb's Adex Tablets—250's	$2.39
Squibb's A B D. & G Capsules—25's	$1.00
Squibb's A B D. & G Capsules—100's	$3.10
Horner's Becol Capsules—25's	$1.80
Horner's Becol Capsules—50's	$3.00
Horner's Adecaps—25's	90¢
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Social and Personal

Dr. Olga Jardine left last night for Vancouver to complete arrangements for the new C.W.A.C. canteen and recreation centre at St. Mary's Priory, Oak and 27th Avenue, under auspices of National Y.W.C.A. War Services. Dr. Jardine, in her capacity as liaison officer for this province, will supervise the furnishings and appoint the hostess. In this work she has received assistance from Mrs. Isabel MacAskill, formerly of this city, and now of Vancouver. The newest hostess house to be opened by the National Y.W.C.A. in British Columbia is at Vernon, which was ready for occupancy at the end of last year.

Mischel and Jan Cherniavsky arrived here from Vancouver yesterday afternoon and spent a quiet evening at Government House, where they also played over some of the selections to be heard this evening at the concert at the Royal Victoria Theatre for the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund.

At St. Matthias' Church, Sunday afternoon, Rev. E. O. Burges-Browne officiated at the christening of the infant daughter of Staff-Sgt. Paul T. F. Hooper and Mrs. Hooper. The baby received the names Laureen Rae, and the godparents are Mr. and Mrs. S. Swindall and Miss Laura E. C. Hooper. Among those present at the ceremony were the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. P. Hooper, of Marigold, and the paternal great-grandmother, Mrs. M. S. White, Fairfield Road. Mr. and Mrs. Stobbart, of Nanaimo, maternal grandparents, were unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Boyce have returned to their home in Vancouver after being the guests of Lt.-Cmdr. and Mrs. James A. Macdonnell, Linden Avenue. They were accompanied to the Mainland by Mr. Robert Bray, who has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Bray, Hollywood Crescent, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Clay have returned from their honeymoon at Harrison Hot Springs, and are staying at the Sussex for a few days before taking up permanent residence at the Oak Bay Apartments.

Miss Sybil Orr has returned to her home at Fort San, Sask., after spending the holiday season in Victoria, the guest of Surgeon-Lieut. and Mrs. Beverley Hallam, St. Ann Street, Oak Bay.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Malcolmson who have been staying at the Beach Hotel for two weeks, expect to return to their home in Edmonton tomorrow.

Major and Mrs. Robert Barnes have arrived from Brandon and are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wilson, St. Charles Street, during Major Barnes' leave.

Sub-Lt. Maurice Chadwick, R.C.N., has arrived from the East to spend his leave with his parents, Canon and Mrs. P. A. P. Chadwick, 1156 Goodwin Street, Oak Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Mayland and their daughters, Lillian and Betty, are Calgary visitors in the city and guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. Gillespie Munro, of Vancouver, who has been spending a week at the Empress Hotel, is leaving for her home on the Mainland today.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Philips have returned to the Ben Bow Inn, Qualicum Beach after a two-week holiday at the Beach Hotel.

Hitler's real aim is the submergence of Christianity not of Judaism alone.—Harold L. Ickes.

Weddings

HOOPER—ELLS

Rev. George Biddle solemnized the marriage between Eileen Annie, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ells, 3255 Tennyson Avenue, and A.C.1 Walter Vernon Hooper, R.C.A.F., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hooper, 240 Oswego Street, which took place on Thursday evening in St. John's Church. White chrysanthemums were arranged on the altar, and baskets of gold and white chrysanthemums were placed by the chancel steps. Mr. Ian Galliford played the wedding music. The pretty bride was given away by her father, and wore a long-sleeved gown of white satin with a short train, and an embroidered finger-tip veil falling from a coronet of lace and fresh white carnations. The bride carried a shower bouquet of red roses with a gardenia in the centre. Miss Marjorie Le Vack, the maid of honor, was gowned in turquoise chiffon and carried a sheaf bouquet of pink chrysanthemums, and Miss Shirley Ells, sister of the bride, was the other attendant, in mauve chiffon and carried gold chrysanthemums. Their dainty net hats and mittens matched the frocks. A.C.1 James D. Fair, R.C.A.F., was groomsman, and acting as ushers were A.C.1 Peter Littlewood, and Messrs. John Sutton, Bruce Cook and Alfred Williams. The reception was held in the Royal Bank Hall, where the parents of the young couple welcomed the guests. After the toast had been given by Mr. Biddle, the bride cut the cake which centred the candle-lit table, flanked by vases of mauve chrysanthemums. Members of the A.Y.P.A. assisted in serving the guests, including Mrs. Alfred Williams, and Misses Joan Brice, Wendy Perkins, Cora Manton, Jean and Roberta Ray. Music for dancing was supplied by A.C.1 Robert Bool and A.C.1 Andrew Anderson, of the R.A.F. and Mrs. A. Cole was a vocal soloist. For a honeymoon on the Mainland, the bride chose a moss green dress with a darker shade hat, and coat and brown accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Hooper will return to Victoria before the former rejoins his unit at Moncton, N.B.

Honor Brides-Elect

A miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Joyce Dawes, whose marriage to Sergeant-Major John Lumley, R.C.A.M.C., will take place this month, was given on Wednesday evening by Mrs. Charles West at her home, 1710 Lansdowne Road. A color scheme of pink and white decorated the rooms and as they entered the bride-to-be and her mother, Mrs. A. T. Dawes, were presented with corsage bouquets of pink and white carnations. The pretty gifts were concealed in a prettily decorated "wishing well." Mrs. Winterburn and Mrs. Dawes were awarded the prizes for the game played during the evening. A buffet supper was served later by the hostess from a table arranged with a mock three-tier wedding cake surmounted by a miniature bride and groom as its centrepiece. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Dawes, Mr. and Mrs. P. Winterburn, Mr. and Mrs. P. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Oldhall, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Oldoall, Mrs. W. Pearson, Mrs. E. Sisson, Mrs. L. Ralph, Mrs. S. Robe, Mrs. D. MacGregor, Mrs. C. MacGregor, Mrs. Lee and Trevor Lee, Mr. and Mrs. C. West.

RESTRAINT

Tommy had been given the job of sweeping the snow from a neighbor's front door. After he had completed the task, the neighbor came to the door and pressed a coin in his hand. Tommy looked at it, but not a word passed his lips.

"Now Tommy," said the neighbor, "what should a little boy say when he has been given a penny for sweeping the snow away?"

"Daddy says I mustn't use that kind of language," said the boy.

Urges Establishment of Volunteer Centres

MRS. W. E. West, director of Women's Voluntary Services, is pictured above at her desk in the Department of National War Services, Ottawa, with her assistant director, Miss Frieda Held (standing). Mrs. West believes that much of the success of Canada's war effort in 1943 will depend on volunteers and to co-ordinate their activities and get maximum usefulness out of their work she is encouraging the establishment of volunteer centres. The Women's Voluntary Services Division, which was organized ten months ago reports twenty volunteer centres now in operation and nineteen more in process of organization. These centres work with existing organizations which they serve as a registry and placement bureau in the community to avoid over-lapping and duplication of effort. Sewing, canteen work and recreation for the armed forces must be carried out by volunteers, along with A.R.P., salvage, a nutrition campaign, price checking for the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, the establishment of day nurseries in war industry centres and the maintenance of peacetime community work.

Intermediate Group

Intermediate Group of Victoria Musical Arts Society will meet in the Truth Centre, Fort Street, at 8 o'clock Saturday evening. A special feature of the programme will be the appearance of Mr. E. W. Izard and his fellow bell-ringers from Christ Church Cathedral, who will give an informal talk on the old art of bell-ringing, and a demonstration on the hand-bells, as well as illustrations by phonograph records. Other numbers on the programme will be piano solos by Bill Graham, Arden Myers and Dorothy Harding; Scottish dances by Georgina Moore, and songs by Jean and Grace Adams.

Young People's Organizations

ST. JOHN'S

At the recent meeting of St. John's A.Y.P.A., presided over by Joan Brice, reports were given of the plays presented on December 15 and of the last local council meeting. Next Tuesday night there will be an initiation service followed by a quiz programme under the direction of Charlie Jackman.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

On Monday at 8 o'clock at the church, the Y.P.S. of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church will meet Squadron Leader Rev. J. C. Luck, minister of the Church of Scotland and chaplain for the Royal Air Force, will address the meeting.

P.-T. A.

CLOVERDALE

The monthly meeting of the Cloverdale P.-T.A. was held in the school on Wednesday evening, the president, H. J. M. Curry, in the chair. After the business session, Capt. E. D. W. Levien, gave an instructive lecture on A.R.P. in schools, during which he enlightened the parents on many points of the school air raids precaution system. Following his talk, an enjoyable musical programme was presented by a mandolin trio, the artists being Mrs. D. Camsusa, Mrs. O. Newstead and Miss M. Warnock, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. E. A. Cartwright. Refreshments were served by the social committee under the convenership of Mrs. J. Young. Plans were discussed for a showing of motion pictures at the Lake Hill Community Hall early in February by H. Pendray. The proceeds will be used for the formation of a school library.

Juvenile Branch

The Juvenile Branch of the Victoria Musical Art Society will hold its monthly meeting on Saturday afternoon at the Truth Centre, Fort Street, at 2:30 o'clock. At the close of the musical programme refreshments will be served.

TUNING HIM OUT

Grandpa was having his after-lunch sleep in the armchair, and emitting sounds that might easily have come from a cross-cut saw. As father entered the room, he saw little Billy twisting one of grandpa's waistcoat buttons.

"What are you doing?" he whispered. "You mustn't disturb grandpa, Billy."

"I'm not disturbing him, daddy," explained the child. "I was just trying to tune him in on another station."

New Club for Canadian Girls Opened in London

LONDON, Jan. 8 (CP).—When Mrs. Vincent Massey, wife of Canada's High Commissioner here, opened a new club for Canadian girls in Britain she said she hoped it would be a "home from home for the girls." From what I saw of it, it should prove a very close second best home.

The girls' club near Cockspur Street, London, the centre of all Canadian life in England, stands out from the neighboring houses by its turquoise colored door proudly bearing a maple leaf.

So far the club extends to three floors, but membership is more than 100 and the committee knows that for comfort, and to gratify the girls' wishes, it will have to be extended by the Spring.

WELL PLANNED

At present the top floor is occupied by the house mother, on the second floor are the rest rooms and wash rooms and on the first floor two comfortable lounges. When the club is able to expand the extra space will be made available as a meeting place, or for entertaining the girls' men friends. The committee also hopes to be able to set up a library.

The opening ceremony was held in the lounge, a rectangular room which can be divided into two by pulling the tapestry curtains together. Some thirty people crowded into the room which is decorated with beautifully carved old oak panellings, originally built in the reign of Charles II. A large fire was burning in the open grate and holly decorating the walls gave it a Christmas atmosphere.

Though the club is run on a non-residential basis, there is limited accommodation for girls who find themselves stranded in London for the night.

It's a safe bet that Canadian girls in London will meet someone from their home town at the club. At least, they'll see someone who knows somebody from that town.

FLOCK TO DANCE

Members of the R.C.A.F. Women's Division, C.W.A.C.'s of the Canadian Army, Canadian Nursing Sisters, children's service girls and office workers flocked to the club's opening dance, held in the St. Andrew's Hall of the Overseas League Club, on the eve of the opening of the club's own quarters.

"It feels just like home," said Regina's Ruth Huston, one of the twenty-three Canadian children's service girls in Britain, as she sipped a lemonade while sitting out a dance with a private of the Lorne Scots.

"The music sounds like home, and the people act like home," she added. The music was provided by a band from the Regina Rifles. Ruth knew most of the musicians.

"I didn't realize there were so many Canadian girls in London," said Lieut. Bud Burden, Vancouver, of the First Canadian Survey Regiment. He had just finished a dance with L.A.W. Margaret Long, a brunette from Arden, Man.

MEET OLD FRIENDS

Col. Lorin James, of Edmonton, head of the Canadian Dental Corps Overseas, chatted near the bandstand with Maj. John Abra, of Winnipeg, and Pte. Bill Duguid, of Eston, Sask., both of the C.D.C. Their confab was broken up when three khaki-clad C.W.A.C.'s surrounded them and asked: "Why aren't you men dancing?"

British Columbia-born Inga Andersen, now one of London's highest paid musical comedy stars, contributed her songs to the success of the evening.

REV. WILFRED McKAY DELIVERS ADDRESS

Rev. Wilfred L. McKay, of Emmanuel Baptist Church, yesterday addressed the meeting held at the Y.M.C.A. in connection with the Universal Week of Prayer, and R. McDonald presided. Mr. McKay took for his subject "Five Pillars of a Vital Christianity."

In his address, Mr. McKay stated that "Christ must have followers if we are going to have Christianity on the earth. Christ followers must be steadfast in doctrine and loyal to the principles of Christ."

"We should be steadfast in fellowship for the greatest fellowship to be found is within Christ's Church. We must also be steadfast in prayers, for prayer is the soul's sincere desire uttered and unexpressed," Mr. McKay concluded.

The speaker this afternoon will be Percy Wills with Rev. P. W. McKinnon presiding.

RED CROSS

CLOVERDALE UNIT

Annual meeting of Cloverdale Unit was held on January 4 in St. Mark's Hall, Mrs. E. Woodward, president, reporting an encouraging year. Mrs. Wilson, treasurer, reported receipts during the year amounting to $380.36. Mrs. McMillin reported 405 knitted articles. Mrs. Bassett reported 600 articles of various kinds had been sewn, and seventy-eight garments donated. Mrs. Dempsey reported over 800 articles had been completed and forwarded through Mrs. A. G. MacDonald of the Overseas League. Mrs. Giles reported 749 articles made by pupils of the Tolmie and Mount View Schools for the Junior Red Cross. Mrs. Shemilt gave a detailed report of activities during the year. Officers elected were: President, Mrs. E. Woodward; vice-president, Mrs. C. Heathfield, secretary-treasurer, Mrs. E. Wilson; entertainment, Mrs. H. Shemilt; wool convener, Mrs. H. McMillin, sewing convener, Mrs. J. Bassett; Junior Red Cross, Mrs. H. Giles; refugee work, Mrs. W. Dempsey.

OAK BAY UNIT

The annual meeting of the Oak Bay Unit of the Canadian Red Cross will be held on Wednesday at 3:30 o'clock in the workrooms on Oak Bay Avenue.

REAL ESTATE BOARD

A luncheon meeting of members of the Real Estate Board will be held in Spencer's private dining-room today at 12 o'clock.

F. C. Green, surveyor-general for British Columbia, will address the meeting on "Routes to Alaska," and a discussion will take place on rental control.

Apparent failure when faced with courage and examined by reason, is the road to superlative triumph.

ENGAGEMENTS

DAVIES—CROSS

The engagement is announced of Marjory Irene, elder daughter of Mrs. William McCoy, Mount Douglas, and the late Arthur Ronald Cross, to Mr. Clement Hugh Neville Davies, only son of Mrs. Clem Davies, 1414 Stadacona Avenue, Victoria, and Dr. Clem Davies, of Los Angeles, Calif. The wedding will take place tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay.

FAIRALL—BAXTER

The engagement is announced of Mary Baxter, daughter of Mrs. L. Shickele, Winnipeg, to P.O. Charles Fairall, R.C.N.V.R., only son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Fairall, 835 Esquimalt Road. The wedding will take place quietly this month.

Dr. M. Coleman Is Named Diocesan Missioner Here

Rt. Rev. H. E. Sexton, Bishop of British Columbia, announces the appointment of Rev. Michael Coleman, D.D., as diocesan lecturer and missioner.

Mr. Coleman has just relinquished the post of acting rector of All Hallows, Barking-by-the-Tower, the famous London church around which the Toc H movement has developed. He is well known in Canada and the United States, having been the Western commissioner for Toc H. with headquarters at Winnipeg.

A forceful speaker as well as a capable organizer, his services have been in constant demand in the United States, where his friends have contributed sufficient money to rebuild the Church of All Hallows, which was totally destroyed during the German blitz on London two years ago. Mr. Coleman is the author of "Faith Under Fire." He is married to Mary, the third daughter of Canon King, rector of St. Paul's, Vancouver.

The diocesan lectureship was established as the result of a bequest by the late Colonel John Albert Hall and was formerly held by Ven. Archdeacon Connell, who recently resigned the office. Mr. Coleman will occupy the pulpit of Christ Church Cathedral next Sunday morning and preach at St. John's Church in the evening.

CHALLENGE TO CHURCH SEEN IN RISE OF CULT FORMERLY ON ISLAND

The Aquarian Foundation, a cult established at Cedar-by-the-Sea several years ago by E. A. Wilson, known as "Brother Twelve," was a standing challenge to the Christian Church, S. A. McKelvie told members of the Lions Club at their luncheon meeting in Spencer's dining-room yesterday.

"It resulted from the failure of the church to supply the spiritual needs of thousands of soul-hungry people," Mr. McKelvie said.

Reviewing the strange history of the colony, the speaker read from Supreme Court records to substantiate statements which, he said, seemed unbelievable.

He told how Brother Twelve had attempted to establish a fortified stronghold in the Decourcey Islands, with orders to his followers to repel any attempt at landing, how he had practised the black arts of Egyptian magic and finally disappeared with the funds of the foundation.

FOLDERS ON B.C. TO BE DISTRIBUTED WHEN COMMANDO FILM SHOWN

Arrangements have been made for illustrated folders of Victoria and Vancouver Island to be distributed to theatre audiences in the larger cities of the Pacific Coast at showings of "The Commandos Strike at Dawn," it was announced yesterday. The folders were prepared by the British Columbia Government Travel Bureau.

The folders emphasize the suitability of the Province as the locale for the film, and give a brief history of Vancouver Island.

Moving picture producers will be presented with an elaborate brochure in which scenes of the whole Province will be reproduced. According to E. G. Rowebottom, deputy minister of trade and industry, it is designed to interest film executives in the possibilities of British Columbia from the motion picture standpoint.

Mistress: "I am sorry you are leaving us, Jane. But of course if you are going to better yourself, I ..."

Maid: "Oh no, madam. I am going to be married."

Little Esther Davis Awaiting Operation Is Not Downhearted

Esther Davis, the little twelve-year-old girl from Chilliwack, whose nose was badly bitten while romping with her pet dog one day last Summer, is at present in Western Hospital, Toronto, where she already has had one operation out of the five she must undergo before the surgeon completes his work, is not at all downhearted, according to a letter of thanks received here by Captain C. A. Gozing, harbormaster, one of the many who answered broadcast appeals for contributions to enable the child to be flown to Toronto for treatment.

Cheerfully little Miss Davis tells in the letter about the operation already performed, and goes on to mention members of her family who are "doing their bits" to help with the war effort. She has a brother, she states, in the Canadian Navy, another brother is working in a Vancouver shipyard, while an elder sister is about to join the women's division of the Canadian Army.

I simply won't believe it is impossible to abolish mass unemployment, yet I do not know how it is to be done.—Sir William Beveridge.

PRECIPITATION LESS THAN USUAL IN 1942

Total precipitation here during 1942 was only 18.68 inches, or 7.41 inches less than normal, according to the Dominion Meteorological Observatory. Precipitation last month was 5.38 inches, or .58 inch more than normal.

The mean temperature in December was 43 degrees, one degree higher than the average. The maximum was 56 degrees, on December 14; minimum 33 degrees, on December 4 and 6, and the minimum on the grass was 28 degrees on Christmas Day.

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Clubs and Societies

Pythian Sisters

Capitol City Temple, No. 35, installed the following officers at the recent meeting held in the K. of P. Hall: Most excellent chief, Therma Glover; excellent senior, Evelyn Glover; excellent junior, Mabel Anderson; manager, Bernice Lerik; mistress of finance, Oliva Curtiss; mistress of records and correspondence, Chris Bishop and Edith Glover (pro tem); protector, Blanche Waggett, guard, Mildred Bannister; press correspondent, Elsie Crabbe; pianist, Mrs. Dale; past chief, Lucy Keiser. The installing officers were: Grand chief, Elsie Crabbe, grand senior, Margaret Erb; grand manager, Kathleen Fraser. On behalf of the temple, Elsie Crabbe presented Past Chief Lucy Keiser with a pin and a present in appreciation of her year's work. Corsage bouquets were received by Margaret Erb and Kathleen Fraser. Mrs. Smith (nee Savage), of Duncan, was presented with a wedding gift. The proficiency certificate was awarded to Mabel Anderson for her work as manager during the past year. Reports were given of the altruistic work and many cards were read from absent members. Marion Brown gave the auditing committee's report and other business included notes on the layettes for the bombed children of England and the sick-visiting committee. After the business, refreshments were served by Georgina Douglas and her group. The mystery box was won by Edith Glover, Sr. Next meeting will be held on January 18.

Women's Canadian Club

At a meeting of the Women's Canadian Club, of Cowichan, held recently at the K. of P. Hall, Duncan, Mr. Herbert Hodge, author and former London cab and bus driver, spoke of his experiences in London, especially of driving conditions in the blackout and during air raids. He concluded by saying "We are not fighting for any country, but as citizens of the world. After the war we must have a world organization." Previous to his address the meeting registered strong protest in the matter of the German students reported to be attending Toronto University. Mrs. D. A. Girvin presided at the meeting, at which there was a good attendance. A similar protest was made at a meeting of the Cowichan Chapter, I.O.D.E., held Tuesday afternoon. Cowichan Chapter will ask provincial officials to take up the matter at once with national headquarters.

Malahat Legion W.A.

Mrs. V. A. Zellinsky, president, presided at the meeting of the W.A. to the Malahat Branch to the Canadian Legion, held recently at Cobble Hill. The year's committees were struck as follows: Visiting, Mrs. W. Hall, Mrs. W. Nelson, Mrs. C. Page and Mrs. J. B. Bell; ways and means, Mrs. J. C. Davidson, Mrs. W. Hall, Mrs. J. La Fortune, Mrs. Flinn, Mrs. W. Maitland, Mrs. A. Sutton, Mrs. J. A. Whan, Mrs. J. G. Morley, and Mrs. V. A. Zellinsky; relief, Mrs. A. Sutton, Mrs. T. Wilkinson, Mrs. V. A. Zellinsky and Mrs. G. Orr. Final arrangements were made for the card party to be held January 15 in the S.L.A.A. Hall, Shawnigan. One new member, Mrs. Crowthers, was welcomed. Refreshments were served by the Cobble Hill ladies. War stamps were received by F. S. Greenhouse, Capt. D. V. Palin and Mrs. J. La Fortune.

Women's Council Table

A timely subject of importance to all women will be the subject for discussion at the meeting of the Women's Council Table to be held next Wednesday at 3 o'clock in the auditorium of the Central Junior High School, Fort Street and Fernwood Road. Mrs. D. L. MacLaurin is the chairman and the discussion leader for the evening will be Dr. Henrietta Anderson. Mrs. H. Johns will take the subject, "Social Status of Women After the War." Mrs. Madge Hall will discuss the economic status of women when the present conflict is over, while Dr. Irene Bastow-Hudson will discuss the political and legal status of women in the postwar world. Mrs. D. Allin will act as timekeeper during the discussion.

Pro Patria W.A.

Mrs. W. Trace was elected president of the W.A. to Pro Patria Branch, B.E.S.L., at the annual meeting held recently. Other officers are: First vice-president, Mrs. D. Muir; second vice-president, Mrs. H. Belcher; treasurer, Mrs. A. Gornall; secretary, Mrs. G. Hawkins (pro tem). The annual reports were read, reflecting a successful year. Many letters of thanks were read from men in the services who had received parcels at Christmas. The time of meetings has been changed to the first Thursday of the month at 2:30 p.m. The prize donated by Mrs. C. W. De La Haye was won by Mrs. Trace. Mrs. Muir and Mrs. Renfrew were named hospital visitors for the month.

W.A. to C.C.F.

It was announced at a meeting of the W.A. to the C.C.F. held recently at 857 Pandora Avenue, with Mrs. G. Peters in the chair, that Miss Margaret Clay will address a meeting to be held on Tuesday, January 19, at 3 o'clock on "Soviet Plans for a Postwar World." The Centre Club will hold a card party on January 16, when refreshments will be served. Mrs. C. Balfour, convener of Red Cross, reported having sent six articles to headquarters. Mrs. G. C. Tuson, secretary, gave a satisfactory treasurer's report. A vote of sympathy was passed to Mrs. Witty, whose illness causes a temporary absence from her position as vice-president. A letter will be sent to her.

Little Flower M.C.

The regular meeting of the Missionary Circle of the Little Flower was held in the Parish Hall recently, with the chaplain, Rev. Father Matte, present, and Miss Rose Maguire, president, in the chair. Reports were read by Miss V. Babington, secretary, and Mrs. Harold Lineham, treasurer. Reports were given on the activities of the circle in connection with the recent parish bazaar, and also on the Christmas tree held at the Mission House for the Chinese children. A vote of thanks was passed to the friends who contributed so generously to the Christmas entertainment. Tentative plans were made for various work to be undertaken in the near future.

Pride of Victoria

Pride of Victoria No. 55, Juvenile Orange Association, met at the Orange Hall recently for the regular business meeting. Chief chairlady, Miss Irene Noel, presided, assisted by vice-chairlady, Miss Freda Doherty. Miss Irene Noel gave a complete report of the Christmas bazaar and received the hearty thanks of the lodge for her efforts in making the affair a complete success. Election of officers took place. R.W. grand secretary, Mrs. M. Paterson, presided, assisted by Mrs. Doherty and Mrs. F. Cooke. The next regular meeting will take place on Saturday and all members will wear white dresses, as installation of officers will take place.

Metropolitan Evening Auxiliary

Mrs. W. E. Harper entertained the members of the Metropolitan Evening Auxiliary at her home, Pantrelew Place, recently. The re-elected president, Miss Muriel Wright, was in the chair. Officers for the year were installed by Mrs. C. Wharton, president of the Afternoon Auxiliary. The devotional period was in charge of Mrs. W. D. Murgatroyd, and Mrs. H. Steele sang a delightful solo accompanied by Mrs. Rae Baker. Reports for 1942 were given by the various officers and plans were discussed for the present year's work. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held on February 3.

Local Council of Women

The next meeting of the Local Council of Women will be held January 11 at the Y.W.C.A. Affiliated societies are asked to send in their donations for the "imaginary tea" as soon as possible and are reminded that all nominations must be in before this meeting.

King's Daughters

The annual meeting of the Ready-to-Help Circle, King's Daughters, will be held at the clubrooms on Monday at 2:45 o'clock.

Saskatchewan W.A.

A meeting of the Saskatchewan W.A. will be held this afternoon at the Douglas Hotel at 2:30 o'clock.

IMPORTANT LINES

An old woman stood before a pile of rubble in the East End.

"Hullo, Mrs. Pennefather," said a London social worker who knew her, "are you all right?"

"Yes, I'm all right, Miss; quite O.K. This was my house. I don't mind so long as we win the war—except for one thing, me marriage lines. Do you see that piece of furniture?" She pointed under a pile of bricks to where there was a sort of cave. "They're in the middle drawer of that chest of drawers down there. I do wish someone would come and get the chest out. I know I could find them lines."

Cheerful in the midst of desolation, the loss of "them lines"—the documentary evidence of her marriage—was the only thing she seemed to mind.

Witty Kitty

Convalescing Connie says it would take more than a flame to drag her out of her warm bed.

Housing Registry Opened at Ottawa

WITH its regal walls and its high ceiling, the Governor-General's waiting room in the Union Station in Ottawa was turned over to be used as the central housing registry for the area. To this room where official welcomes have been extended to high-ranking diplomats, will come householders who have spare rooms and dwelling units in their homes, and who are anxious to share the accommodation with their fellow-Canadians who are in need of it. Without fanfare, the registry was opened; among those at the opening were, left to right, Miss Violet Tennant, secretary of the Ottawa Housing Committee; Byrne Sanders, director of the Consumer Branch, Wartime Prices and Trade Board, which has been given the responsibility of listing available accommodation in congested areas throughout Canada, and Mrs. W. C. Hopper, manager of the new Housing Registry. It is of interest to know that the local Housing Registry, 311 Central Building, has had over 400 applications during the brief time it has been functioning in Victoria, and according to Mrs. W. Rayfuse, chairman, there have been 250 listings and 200 placements.

Members Deplore Aliens Attending University

At a meeting of Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., held yesterday afternoon with the regent, Mrs. A. S. Christie, presiding, the following resolution was passed to be sent to Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., and if approved there, to go forward to the National Chapter, I.O.D.E.

"Whereas many of our Canadian youth, boys and girls, interrupted their academic work to join the forces, thus doing their share in helping to bring a just end to the war, and

"Whereas our agriculture and road development work are seriously jeopardized through lack of manpower, and whereas it has been reported in an Eastern paper that Toronto University has accepted as students men of alien origin, reputedly internees released from Britain, and that they are allowed to wear Canadian service uniforms without taking the oath of allegiance,

"Therefore, be it resolved that the I.O.D.E., through Provincial and National Chapters, I.O.D.E., urgently request that this outrageous condition be immediately nullified, thus removing an insult to our fighting men and women, and that these men be put to work in the above-mentioned field of labor."

This resolution was moved by Mrs. F. P. Beckett, and seconded by Mrs. D. J. Mugford.

Section Officer Glenn, recruiting officer, R.C.A.F. (W.D.), was introduced by Mrs. A. E. Hopkins, president of the Local Council of Women. This dapper young officer gave a very interesting sketch of the women's work in the air force explaining that when the first 150 women were recruited there were nine studies of work available, and these have now increased to thirty-five. Section Officer Glenn will remain in this city until the end of the week, to enlist women between the ages of eighteen and forty. Mrs. S. R. Bowden thanked the speaker for her timely talk.

Arrangements are progressing satisfactorily with the City Council, Lady Douglas Chapter, Historical Society and the Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 3, to hold some form of celebration to mark Victoria's centennial anniversary this year.

Members who will attend the meeting of the Local Council of Women in February include Mrs. Bertha Parsons, Mrs. A. S. Christie, Mrs. K. Jaffray and Mrs. F. P. Beckett.

Six members of the chapter have promised to help in telephoning for the Housing Registry.

Mrs. J. T. Williams presented the treasurer's and the war convener's reports. Several letters of thanks were received from members of the forces who were remembered at Christmas time, and others associated in the work of the chapter.

A nominating committee to obtain officers for the election to be held next month was appointed, and nominations are posted at headquarters.

The educational secretary's report was given by Mrs. McAlpine. Seventy calendars were sold at Christmas. Mrs. F. P. Beckett gave the Echoes report, and Mrs. McArthur and Mrs. Dodsworth will work jointly on the hospitality committee. Members stood in silent sympathy with Mrs. T. A. Johnston, municipal war services convenor, in the loss of her son overseas.

GERMANY ADMITS ARMY RETREATING

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Russians the remnants of twenty-two Nazi divisions encircled before Stalingrad still were the subject of frantic German relief efforts, front dispatches said. Big Nazi transport planes daily fly in supplies to these men, and many of them are shot down by Soviet airmen.

MORE OPPOSITION

The Russian threat to Rostov was increasing, and the Germans appeared to be putting up more of a fight in the Lower Don, although the Soviets said they were smashing these Nazi counter-blows and continuing to gain ground.

Deep down in the Caucasus it was another story. There the Germans were falling back fast, dispatches said, and the communique said more than 2,000 land mines sprinkled by the withdrawing Germans had been removed by Soviet sappers.

Russian tanks led the Caucasus advance while automatic gunners kept cutting through to the German rear, harassing the Nazi line of retreat along which the enemy was burning and blasting roads and bridges.

The Germans admitted last night for the first time that their troops were withdrawing in the Caucasus under the heavy blows of massed Red Army tanks and had completed a "shortening of lines" operation.

The Red Army was reported cutting a twenty-mile-wide path on both sides of the Lower Don on its westward course to the mouth at Rostov on the sea of Azov. The Russians already were fifty miles beyond Tsimlyansk near the junction of the Don and Sal.

The Soviet juggernaut was crushing all before it at the pace of twenty-five miles a day.

In the offensive of seven weeks, the Russians liquidated a large part of German arms, purchased at a heavy price during the Summer and early Autumn months.

Despite risk of isolation, the Germans fought stubbornly in the Western Caucasus and offered resistance on their eastern flank, apparently refusing to engage in a race for Rostov.

The Germans claimed they repulsed all Soviet attacks in the Don and Kalmyck districts and near Stalingrad. They admitted Russian traffic was moving again to beleaguered Leningrad over an ice road across Lake Ladoga, which the Nazis said they bombed and shelled

The German communique asserted numerous Russian strongholds were destroyed on the central front.

Cossacks spearheaded the drive in the Central Caucasus where the Russians were twenty-five miles northwest of Prokhladnenski and halfway to Mineralnye Vody, a centre of several converging railways. The Russians thus advanced fifty-five miles through the foothills and ravines of the Caucasus Range since recapturing Nalchik Monday, and in this area they were about 300 miles southeast of Rostov.

The Russians already had outflanked to some extent the Germans south of Stalingrad with their drive along the Don. On the Salsk and Kalmyck Steppes the enemy held a broad expanse which was exposed frontally to the Russians who captured Elista and would be opened to attack from the rear should Rostov fall.

Inside Stalingrad, fire was exchanged with the enemy and twenty trenches were occupied to the northwest. Two villages were claimed to the south and southwest of the Volga city.

NAZIS WITHDRAW

LONDON, Jan. 8 (Friday) (AP)—Russia announced that the Red army converging on Rostov to trap the Nazis in the Caucasus was less than seventy-five miles from that bottleneck point today after capturing more than a dozen villages yesterday, and for the first time the Germans acknowledged formally that their southern forces were withdrawing before the massed might of Soviet tanks.

At least five Red Army columns were sweeping directly or indirectly toward Rostov, at the mouth of the Don River, while 300 miles below that Caucasian "hinge" the Germans were falling back northward in an apparent effort to escape encirclement.

The regular midnight Soviet communique, in a Moscow broadcast, as heard by The Soviet Monitor here, declared thirteen populated points and a railway station had fallen to the advancing Russians yesterday on both sides of the Lower Don River. The Reuter's Monitor hearing the same communique listed seventeen points with different spellings in some cases. Although confusion thus existed over details, a study of Russian maps gave this picture:

One Red Army column pushing west along the Stalingrad-Likhaya Railway inside the Don bend had taken Valkovo, a rail station 110 miles northwest of Rostov and only sixty miles from Likhaya, junction point on the Rostov-Moscow Railway. Likhaya is only about sixty miles north of Rostov.

Likhaya also is the goal of another Russian column driving south from the Millerovo area. The column's exact location is not known except that it last was reported within forty miles of Likhaya after bypassing Millerovo.

A third Red Army column is pushing along the Don River's north bank toward Rostov; and yesterday this army took Nikolayev, representing a ten-mile advance in one day. Nikolayev itself is about eighty-seven miles from Rostov. An intermediate point, Zazersky, about twenty miles south of Valkovo on the railway inside the Don bend also was occupied.

FOURTH COLUMN

A fourth Russian column is the one thus far ahead in the Soviet dash toward Rostov. It took Bolshaya Orlovka, on the Sal River about seventy-five miles due east of Rostov, and pushed on down the valley toward that river's confluence with the Don. This column also was getting into more or less open country where the terrain is not so adaptable to defence. After the Sal there is only one main river to be crossed, the Manych, before the Russians can strike at the railway network leading into Rostov.

Behind this column in the Sal Valley the towns of Martynovka and Romanovskaya were listed by Reuter's as having fallen. The Russians thus appeared to be cleaning out Nazi strongpoints and annihilating pocketed enemy forces—a Red Army version of the mobile tactics used so successfully by the Nazis when their strength was at its peak.

The fifth Red Army unit menacing the approaches to Rostov was striking directly down the Stalingrad-Tikhoretsk railway and was believed to be nearing Zimovniki.

The Germans obviously were in trouble in the Caucasus, for the Berlin radio "flashed" an announcement that its troops were withdrawing "according to schedule," and had completed a "shortening" of their lines.

This usually is the prelude to a German High Command announcement along the same lines. No source was given by the Berlin radio announcer. He said merely that that development "became known in Berlin Thursday night."

If the Germans cannot hold the Russian columns bearing down on Rostov, all their Caucasian armies will be cut off from retreat except by ship across the Black Sea. And the Russian naval forces in that sea are still intact so far as is known.

Three hundred miles south of Rostov in the Caucasus the Russians were pushing northward along the Baku-Rostov railway, and were twenty-five miles or more beyond the railroad junction of Prokhladnenski.

The communique as heard by the Soviet monitor listed the large populated places of Kolomenskaya, Svetava-Padina and Severnyi as falling to the Russians in this area. Some of these points were taken in hand-to-hand fighting and in two engagements the Germans were said to have lost 600 men. Altogether forty inhabited localities, large and small, were said to have been occupied.

For the first time Berlin announced a Nazi withdrawal in the Caucasus. A German radio broadcast said:

"German troops in the Eastern Caucasus completed according to schedule, the shortening of their front line by withdrawing from advanced strongholds. It became known in Berlin Thursday night.

"Soviet attacks on German rearguards were frustrated despite the Soviets' massed employment of tanks."

For several days British observers have expressed belief the Nazis were withdrawing northward toward Rostov because of the threatening Russian push along the Lower Don.

Masks Available At A.R.P. Office During Evening

For the benefit of persons whose work does not enable them to come to the city during the day, the A.R.P. office in the City Hall will be open each evening from 7 to 8 for the distribution of gas masks, Inspector A. H. Bishop said last night. The office will also be open all day Saturday.

The new hours will be observed starting today, Inspector Bishop said. Distribution will also continue during the regular hours each day.

Inspector Bishop asked that persons coming to the office after regular hours use the Pandora Avenue entrance to the City Hall, since the main entrance will be closed. Several persons have inquired about extended hours, he said.

LOCAL KINSMEN CLUB INSTALLS OFFICERS

Annual reports were read and new officers were installed at the Kinsmen Club's first meeting this year held last night at the Empress Hotel.

William Passmore will be president during 1943. Other officers installed last night were A. Jackson, treasurer; Frank Fraser, registrar; Morris Kersey, editor; R. Holdum, R. Hoard and G. Patt, directors. The new secretary, Maurice O'Connor, was unable to attend.

Following the business session musical entertainment was provided by Len Acres and Al. Smith.

EXPERTS TO PLAN LOCAL GAS TESTS

Dr. Lincoln Cromwell and Dr. C. S. Beals will direct the gas tests in the city the first of which is to be held in District 10 on January 18, Inspector A. H. Bishop, civilian protection officer, said yesterday.

They will work in conjunction with the district wardens in planning and carrying out the incidents. In the first test they will work with Col. F. O. Hood, warden of District 10.

In the city-wide A.R.P. organization it is Dr. Beals' duty to diagnose the gas being used and to decide what precautions should be taken.

MUNICIPALITIES MAY HAVE EMPLOYER RANK

Municipalities desiring to change their status to that of employers so that their employees may receive a cost-of-living bonus, may now do so under a Dominion order in council, Hon. G. S. Pearson, chairman of the Regional War Labor Board, said yesterday.

Municipalities at present do not come under the Ottawa regulation which provides that employers must pay their employees a bonus commensurate with the cost of living.

CIVIL SERVANTS TO HOLD MASS MEETING

To discuss plans to form a civil service association in British Columbia, provincial civil servants and other employees of the Provincial Government will hold a mass meeting in the Chamber of Commerce Hall on January 14 at 8 p.m.

One of the chief objectives of the proposed association is to gain representation for civil servants on commissions and boards dealing with the civil service.

C. K. Morison, provincial librarian, will be chairman of the meeting.

EVIDENCE

Jones was exceptionally cheerful. All day long he had been whistling and humming at his work, until at last Brown asked him what was the matter.

"Well, you see," explained Jones, "my wife has lost her diamond engagement ring."

"Well, what's there to be so cheerful about in that?" asked Brown.

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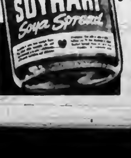

AROUND the DIAL

For last-minute programme changes on the C.B.C. Network, listen to "For Our Listeners," every day at 12:29 p.m.—just before the news.

(Pacific Daylight Time)

8:00 A.M.—News (CBR, CJOR, CKWX, CJVI).
Radio Parade (KOMO).
Everyman's Chapel (KJR).
Norman Ruelons (KIRO).
Breakfast Club (KOL).

8:15 A.M.—Sunrise Serenade (CJVI).
Master Musicians (CBR).
News (KOMO, CJOR).
Valiant Lads (KIRO).
Breakfast Club (KJR).
Breakfast Time Tunes (CKWX).

8:30 A.M.—Front Line Family (CBR).
Victor Lindlahr (KOMO).
Breakfast Club (KJR).
Kitty Foyle (KIRO).
News (KOL).
Billy Browne (CJOR).
Just About Time (CKWR).

8:45 A.M.—Sacred Meditations (CJVI).
Good Morning, Maestro (CBR).
David Harum (KOMO).
Unity Viewpoint (KJR).
Aunt Jenny's Real Life Stories (KIRO).
Melody Supplement (KOL).
News (CKWR).

9:00 A.M.—Rhapsodies (CJVI).
B.B.C. News (CBR).
The O'Neills (KOMO).
News (KJR).
Kate Smith Speaks (KIRO).
Boake Carter (KOL).
Shut-In (CJOR).
Variety (CKWR).

9:15 A.M.—Morning Bulletin Board (CJVI).
Drama (CBR).
Words' Music (KOMO).
Emmy Blair (KJR).
Big Sister (KIRO).
Read the Bible (KOL).
News (CJOR).

9:30 A.M.—Lucy Linton (CBR).
Breakfast at Sardi's (KJR).
Enjoy Yourselves (KOMO).
Romance of Helen Trent (KIRO).
Starred for Listening (KOL).
Betty and Bob (CKWX).

9:45 A.M.—Record Cabinet (CBR).
Novelty Programme (KOMO).
Our Gal Sunday (KIRO).
Songs of the West (KOL).

10:00 A.M.—Betty and Bob (CJVI).
Morning Visit (CBR).
Ben Walker's Kitchen (KOMO).
Baukhage Talking (KJR).
Life Can Be Beautiful (KIRO).
News (KOL).
Stars (CJOR).
Capsules of Melody (CKWR).

10:15 A.M.—Stars of the Week (CJVI).
Happy Gang (CBR).
News (KOMO).
Andy and Virginia (KJR).
Ma Perkins (KIRO).
Music Shop (KOL).
Harmony Lane (CKWR).

10:30 A.M.—News (CJVI).
Musical Jewel Box (KOMO).
Breakfast Club (KJR).
Vic and Sade (KIRO).
News, Strictly Personal (KOL).
Harmony in Color (CJOR).
Good Morning, Neighbor (KOL).

10:45 A.M.—Claire Wallace, "They Tell Me" (CJVI, CBR).
Dr. Kate (KOMO).
Melody (KJR).
The Goldbergs (KIRO).
Music (KOL).
News (CJOR).
Melody Parade (CKWX).

11:00 A.M.—Make Mine Music (CJVI).
Songs (CBR).
Light of the World (KOMO).
Songs (KJR).
Young Doctor Malone (KIRO).
The Goldbergs (CJOR).
Concert Caravan (CKWR).

11:15 A.M.—Mystery Chef (KJR, CBR).
Lonely Women (KOMO).
Joyce Jordan (KIRO).
Music (KOL).
Life Can Be Beautiful (CJOR).
Will Reedey (CKWK).

11:30 A.M.—Soldier's Wife (CJVI, CBR).
Guiding Light (KOMO).
News (KJR).
We Love and Learn (KIRO).
Carroll Castle (KOL).
Vic and Sade (CJOR).
They Tell Me (CKWX).

11:45 A.M.—Club Diary (CJVI).
Hollywood News Girl (CBR).
Betty Crocker (KOMO).
Home and Garden Note Book (KJR).
News (KIRO).
Studio Party News (CJOR).
The Little Show (CKWK).

12:00 Noon—Buccaneers (CJVI).
R.C. Farm Broadcast (CBR).
Mary Marlin (KOMO).
Three R's (KJR).
Consumer Report (KIRO).
News (KOL).

12:05 P.M.—News (CKWX).

12:10 P.M.—Songs (KIRO).

12:15 P.M.—Rovetime (CJVI).
News (KIRO).
Ma Perkins (KOMO).
Christian Businessmen (KOL).
Voice of Memory (CJOR).
Concert Music (CKWX).

12:30 P.M.—News (CJVI, KIRO, CJOR, CBR).
Pepper Young (KOMO).
Between the Bookends (KJR).
Music for Moderns (CKWR).

12:45 P.M.—Luncheon Varieties (CJVI).
Midday Matinee (CBR).
Right to Happiness (KOMO).
News (KJR).
Rochester's Children (KIRO).
Symphony (KOL).
Dollar Gift Programme (CJOR).

1:00 P.M.—Wendell Hall (CJVI).
Balladeer (CBR).
Backstage Wife (KOMO).
Club Matinee (KJR).
Galen Drake (KIRO).
Listen and Sing (KOL).

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VICTORIA—
CJVI (1480).
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SEATTLE—
KIRO (710), KOMO (950),
KJR (1000), KOL (1300),
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6:00—Waltz Time, KPO, KOMO.
6:30—Theatre, CBR.
7:00—Caravan, KIRO.
7:00—People Are Funny, KOMO, KPO.
7:30—Dollars for Scholars, CJVI.
7:30—Tommy Riggs, Betty Lou, KOMO, KPO.
8:00—Fred Waring, KOMO, KPO.
8:15—In Person, Dinah Shore, KJR.
8:30—Hockey, CJVI.
8:30—Gang Busters, KJR.
9:00—Kate Smith, KIRO.
9:30—Sophisticated Strings, CBR.
10:30—Gentlemen With Wings, CBR.

Famous Voices; News (CJOR).
Life Can Be Beautiful (CKWK).

1:15 P.M.—Harcourt and Ball (CJVI).
Women on the Job (CBR).
War Women (CBR).
Stella Dallas (KOMO).
Cecil Solly (KJR).
News (KIRO).
Can I Do Business With Hitler (KOL).
Sue's Notebook (CJOR).
Road of Life (CKWX).

1:30 P.M.—Songs (CJVI).
R.C.A.F. Band (CBR).
Lorenzo Jones (KOMO).
Club Matinee (KJR).
Exploring Space (KIRO).
Melody Supplement (KOL).
Red, White and Blue (CKWX).

1:45 P.M.—Pinto Pete (CJVI).
Young Widder Brown (KOMO).
Men of the Land (KJR).
Singers (CJOR).
Mountain Music (KIRO).

1:55 News (KJR).

2:00 P.M.—Melody Time (CJVI).
Music, Clancy Callina (CBR).
When a Girl Marries (KOMO).
Baby's Institute (KJR).
Housewives Inc. (KIRO).
Sheilah Carter (KOL).
Billy Browne's Brevities (CJOR).
It's Topical (CKWX).

2:15 P.M.—Portia Faces Life (KOMO).
Clancy Callina (KJR).
News Reel Theatre (KOL).

2:25 P.M.—News (CJOR).

2:30 P.M.—Music Lovers Corner (CJVI).
Teatime (CBR).
Music Lovers' Corner (CKWK).
Tea Time (CBR).
Just Plain Bill (KOMO).
Joe Bethencourt (KJR).
Matinee (KIRO).
Allen Roth (CJOR).

2:45 P.M.—Listeners' Favorites (CBR).
Little Jack Little (KJR).
Front Page Farrell (KOMO).
Ben Bennie (KIRO).

3:00 P.M.—Messer's Islanders (CBR).
The Road of Life (KOMO).
U.S. Navy (KIRO).
News (KJR).
Phillip Keyne Gordon (KOL).
Random Notes, News (CJOR).
Victory Club (CKWK).

3:15 P.M.—Prairie Comment (CBR).
Vic and Sade (KOMO).
Serenade (KJR).
At the Duncan's (KIRO).
Starred for Listening (KOL).
Ma Perkins (CJOR).

3:30 P.M.—Fiddler Conducts (CBR).
The Snow Village (KOMO).
Your Gospel Singer (KJR).
Born Singing America (KIRO).
Overseas Report (KOL).
Pepper Young (CJOR).
Dream Island (CKWX).

3:45 P.M.—Dr. Rowell (CJVI).
R.B.C. News (CBR).
Judy and Jane (KOMO).
Peace in Melody (KJR).
The World Today (KIRO).
Right to Happiness (CJOR).
Music, News (KOL).
Dream Island (CKWR).

4:00 P.M.—Studio Party (CJVI).
Good Luck Programme (CBR).
Orchestra (KOMO).
Scramble (KJR).
Singing Organist (KIRO).
Fulton Lewis, Jr. (KOL).
John Harcourt (CJOR).
Blighty (CKWX).

4:15 P.M.—Piano (CBR).
News (KOMO).
Newsreel (KIRO).
Johnson Family (KOL).
Concert Moderne (CJOR).

4:30 P.M.—Hits of the Week (CJVI).
Orchestra (CBR).
Orchestra (KOMO).
P.T.A. (KJR).
Easy Aces (KIRO).
News, Music (KOL).
Organ Spotlight (CKWX).

4:45 P.M.—Recital (CBR).
Orchestra (KOMO).
News (KJR).
Mr. Keen (KIRO).
Listen and Sing (KOL).
Hollywood Headlines (CJOR).
Wild Wylie Entertains (CKWX).

5:00 P.M.—Musiepties (CJVI).
News, Drama (CBR).
Lee Sweetland (KOMO).
Don Winslow (KJR).
Job Finder Lost and Found (KIRO).
News (KOL).
Carson Robinson (CJOR).
Music for Youth (CKWX).

5:15 P.M.—Music (KOMO).
Sea Hound (KJR).
Music (KIRO).
Superman (KOL).
Men of Note (CJOR).
Uncle Billy (CKWX).

5:25 P.M.—Music (KIRO).

5:30 P.M.—Crimson Trail (CJVI).
Penny's Diary (CBR).
Music (KOMO).
Jack Armstrong (KJR).
Evening Almanac (KIRO).
Cisco Kid (KOL).
Rhythm (CJOR).
Uncle Ben (CKWX).

5:45 P.M.—A to Z in Novelty (CJVI).
By the Way (KOMO).
Captain Midnight (KJR).
News (KIRO).
Lone Ranger (CKWX).

5:55 P.M.—Cecil Brown (KIRO).

6:00 P.M.—Songs (CBR).
News (CJVI).
Waltz Time (KOMO).
Rop Harrigan (KJR).
Tonight at Fort Lewis (KIRO).
Gabriel Heatter (KOL).
News (CJOR).

6:15 P.M.—In Town Tonight (CJVI).
Waltz Time (CBR).
News Reporter (KJR).
News (KOL).
Singing Strings (CJOR).
Santa Fe Trail (CKWX).

6:30 P.M.—Dinner Dance (CJVI).
Canadian Theatre of the Air (CBR).
Plantation Party (KOMO).
News (KJR, CKWX).
Spotlight Bands (KJR).
That Brewster Boy (KIRO).
Concert Hall (KOL).

6:45 P.M.—Concert Music (KOL).
Lost Empire (CJOR).
Album of Yesterday (CKWK).

7:00 P.M.—Band of the Week (CJVI).
News (CBR, CKWK).
People Are Funny (KOMO).
Meet Your Navy (KJR).
Camel Caravan (KIRO).
Boxing (KOL).
Pop on Rhule (CJOR).

7:15 P.M.—Comrades in Arms (CBR).
State of Washington (KOL).
Music (CKWX).

7:30 P.M.—Dollars for Scholars (CJVI).
Betty Lou (KOMO).
This Is Music (KJR).
The Lone Ranger (KOL).
Singing Stars (CKWX).

7:45 P.M.—Men, Machines and Victory (KJR).
Don Wilson (CJOR).
Do You Remember? (CKWK).

8:00 P.M.—Rhythm Waltz (CJVI).
B.B.C. Radio Newsreel (CBR).
Fred Waring's Pleasure (KOMO).
Watch the World Go By (KJR).
Amos and Andy (KIRO).
Memory Lane (KOL).
Salon Music (CJOR).
News (CKWX).

8:15 P.M.—Melodies (CJVI).
Melody Magic (KOMO).
Dinah Shore (KJR).
Our Secret Weapon (KIRO).
Lone Ranger (KOL).
News (CJOR).
Serenade (CKWX).

8:30 P.M.—Hockey Interview (CJVI).
Drama (CBR).
Whatsit? (KOMO).
Gangbusters (KJR).
Playhouse (KIRO).
Amateur Contest (KOL).
Easy Aces (CJOR).
Sonny Richardson (CKWK).

9:00 P.M.—Tunes for Today (CBR).
Music (KOMO).
Those Good Old Songs (KJR).
Kate Smith (KIRO).
News (KOL).
Radio Rascals (CJOR).
Hit Parade (CKWK).

9:15 P.M.—Carroll Carter (KOL).
Orchestra (KJR).

9:30 P.M.—Sophisticated Strings (CBR).
Army Recruiting (KOMO).
News (KJR).
John B. Hughes (KOL).
U.B.C. Radio (CJOR).
Music (CKWK).

9:45 P.M.—Chris Gilson (KOMO).
Norman Spea (KJR).
Fulton Lewis Jr. (KOL).
Big Mountain Boys (CKWX).

9:55 P.M.—Find the Women (KIRO).

10:00 P.M.—C.B.C. News (CBR).
News (KOMO, CKWX).
Music (KJR).
News, Organ (KIRO).
Orchestra (KOL).
Halfway House (CJOR).

10:10 P.M.—Elmore Philpott, News (CBR).

10:15 P.M.—Mills Brothers (CBR).
Starlight Souvenir (KOMO).
Star Parade (KJR).
Eyes (KIRO, KOL).
Carols (CJOR).
Heaven of Dreams (CKWK).

10:30 P.M.—News (CJVI).
Gentlemen With Wings (CBR).
Organ (KOMO).
Organ (KJR).
Symphony (KOL).
Orchestra (CJOR).

10:45 P.M.—Out of the Night (CJVI).
Orchestra (KOMO).
Star Parade (KIRO).
At Close of Day (CKWX).

10:55 P.M.—News (KOMO).

11:00 P.M.—Evening Reveries (KOMO).
Orchestra (CBR).
Folk Music (KJR).
Orchestra (KIRO).
Dance Time (KOL).
Concert Hour (CJOR).
Salute to the Bands (CKWX).

11:15 P.M.—Starred for Listening (KOL).

11:25 P.M.—News (CBR).

11:30 P.M.—Orchestra (CBR).
Uncle Sam Presents (KOMO).
Melody Lane (KJR).
Easy Listening (KIRO).
News (KOL).

11:45 P.M.—Organ (KJR).
News for Alaska (KIRO).
Overseas Report (KOL).

11:55 P.M.—News (CJOR, CKWK).

GERMANY'S PROMISES

STOCKHOLM (CP).—During 1943 Germany has promised to deliver 5,000,000 tons of coal and coke to Sweden. In 1942 she promised to deliver 5,700,000 tons and actually delivered 3,800,000 tons.

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Canada's Honor Roll

OTTAWA, Jan. 7 (CP).—Following is the Canadian (Active) Army's 242nd overseas casualty list of the war, containing the names of men killed in action at Hongkong:

OVERSEAS

Killed in Action

Force Headquarters — Pte. Max Bergar, Sarnia, Ont.; Sigmn. Robert Damant, Montreal; Pte. Albert Jackson, Montreal; Pte. Frank Charles McGuire, Kingston, Ont.; Pte. David Shearer Melville, Toronto; K34801 Sigmn. Ernest Roy Thomas, Mrs. Dorothy Patricia Thomas (wife), Lynnmoor, B.C.

K92083 Sgt. William Edward Phillips, Mrs. Doris Phillips (wife), 1018 Victoria Avenue, Victoria.

Quebec Regiment — Rfmn. John Vincent Baker, Campbellford, Ont.; Rfmn. Clifford Gerald Barnett, Toronto; Rfmn. Ernest Bate, Wakefield, England; Rfmn. George Caldee, Broadlands, Que.; Rfmn. Orrin James Chatterton, New Carlisle, Que.; Cpl. Algar Randolph Collins, Albert, N.B.; Sgt. John Garry Cusner, Montreal; Cpl. John Joseph Fitzpatrick, Quebec City; Rfmn. Willis John Grieves, Campbellford, Ont.; Rfmn. Charles Gordon Hickey, Nash Creek, N.B.; Rfmn. Leslie Reveile Hopgood, Weston, Ont.; Sgt. Harold Branscombe Hughes, Hamilton; Rfmn. Harold Hunchuk, Weston, Ont.; Rfmn. Bertram Irvine, Flatlands, N.B.; Rfmn. Crandel Irvine, Bonaventure County, Que.; Rfmn. Daniel Jacques, Gaspe County, Que.; Rfmn. Edward Ross Keating, Toronto; Rfmn. Ronald Murray Kinnie, Beaverbrook, N.B.; Rfmn. Harvey Reginald Lafferty, Thorold, Ont.; Rfmn. Jack Joseph Lyons, Bonaventure County, Que.; Cpl. Wendell McClellan, New Westminster, B.C.; Rfmn. William Joseph McGrath, McGrath Cove, N.S.; Rfmn. Charles Lewis MacLean, Cape Breton, N.S.; Sgt. Lorne Richard McNab, Kenogami, Que.; Rfmn. James Burnett Mann, Bonaventure County, Que.; L.-Cpl. Eddie Meredith, Montreal; Rfmn. Andrew Muir Moir, Lindsay, Ont.; Rfmn. Leo Francis Nellis, Flatlands, N.B.; Rfmn. Lorne Robert Newell, Drummond County, Que.; Rfmn. William Henry Noel, Restigouche County, N.B.; Rfmn. Leonard Rooney, Gaspe County, Que.; L.-Cpl. Aksel George Anderson Sannes, Campbellton, N.B.; Rfmn. Garnet Scobie, Haley's Station, Ont.; Rfmn. Bertram Sheldon, Toronto; Rfmn. William John Smith, Chatham, N.B.; Rfmn. Henry Andrew Surette, Port Bickerton, N.S.; Rfmn. Kurt Solve Waldemar Swanson, Cranbrook, B.C.; Rfmn. Harry Joachim Tapp, Gaspe County, Que.; Rfmn. Leverette John Tretes, Moncton, N.B.; Rfmn. Laureat Vigneault, Magdalen Islands, Que.; Sgt. Alfred Wonnacott, Echo Bay, near Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.

Manitoba Regiment — Pte. John Aird Aitken, Winnipeg; Pte. Wilfred Barrett, Brandon, Man.; Pte. Robert Blanchard, Winnipeg; Pte. James Brady, North Kildonan, Man.; Pte. Samuel Robert Carberry, Winnipeg; Pte. William Thomas Carcary, Carman, Man.; Pte. Gabriel John Caswill, Winnipeg; Pte. Kenneth Bidney Cooper, Winnipeg; Pte. Valentine Albert Donovan, Winnipeg; L.-Cpl. Norman Cleary Eccles, Flin Flon, Man.; Pte. Donald Hector Folster, Winnipeg; Pte. Herbert Thomas Folster, Winnipeg; Pte. Frank Maxwell Poord, Tilson, Man.; Sgt. Russell Myles Foster, Winnipeg; C.S.M. Walter Burchell Fryatt, Winnipeg; Pte. Victor Geekie, Winnipeg; Pte. Robert William Grace, Vancouver; Pte. Lloyd McDonald Hallett, Winnipeg; Sgt. Harvey Johnson, Winnipeg; Pte. Mike Kasljan, Portage la Prairie, Man.; Cpl. Henry Kelso, Winnipeg; Cpl. John Robert Kelso, Winnipeg; Pte. Wesley Newman Kilfoyle, Portage la Prairie, Man.; Pte. Gordon Stanley Land, Roland, Man.; Pte. Royal Clarence Land, Carman, Man.; Pte. Robert Ernest Albert Larsen, Winnipeg; Pte. George Law, Winnipeg; Pte. Keith Robert Lawrie, Winnipeg; Pte. Francis Little, Winnipegosis, Man.; Pte. George Webster MacFarlane, Winnipeg; Pte. Robert Clarence McGowan, Gladstone, Man.; Pte. James Maltese, Winnipeg; Pte. Thomas Mattie, St. Boniface, Man.; Pte. Denis Cyril Matthews, Winnipeg; Pte. Ralph Clifford Maxwell, Transcona, Man.; Pte. Raymond Arthur Meades, Winnipeg; Pte. John Irwin Morris, Vancouver; Pte. Dori James O'Neill, Winnipeg; C.S.M. John Robert Osborn, St. Vital, Man.; Pte. Alfred Joseph Ouelette, Winnipeg; Pte. Gabriel Joseph Pare, Winnipeg; Sgt. George Harold Paterson, Winnipeg; Pte. William Alfred Prieston, Benito, Man.; Sgt. Edward Herbert Rodgers, Winnipeg; Pte. George Alexander Rutherford, St. Thomas, Ont.; Pte. Howard Edmund Shatford, Gainsborough, Sask.; Pte. Samuel Silkey, West Selkirk, Man.; Pte. Kenneth Simpson, Winnipeg; Pte. Edgar Charles Smelts, Brandon, Man.; Pte. Cecil Ernest Smith, Winnipeg; Pte. Charles Smith, Regina; Pte. Robert Cupid Smith, Climax, Sask.; Pte. William Joseph Specht, Winnipeg; Pte. Stanley Frederick Stodgell, Fisherton, Man.; Pte. Gowan Teasdale, Winnipeg; Cpl. Jack Frank Vickers, Port William; Pte. Bernard Benedict Whalen, Winnipeg; Pte. Thomas Charles White, Badger, Man.; Pte. Henry Wiebe, Winnipeg; L.-Cpl. Jack Williams, Stonewall, Man.; Cpl. Albert Thomas Woods, Winnipeg; Pte. Roland Frederick Wright, Denbighshire, Wales.

Following is the Canadian (Active) Army's 243rd overseas casualty list of the war, naming sixty-eight officers and men who were casualties in the fight for Hongkong:

OVERSEAS

KILLED IN ACTION

Quebec Regiment — Lieut. James Forsyth Ross, Quebec; Lieut. Arthur Beresford Scott, Quebec; Lieut. Raymond Thorn, Quebec; Lieut. Gerard Mott Williams, Quebec.

Manitoba Regiment — Capt. Allan Shafer Bowman, Winnipeg; Lieut. James Arnold Victor David, Winnipeg; Capt. Roslyn Milan Davies, Winnipeg; Lieut. Charles Duncan French, Norwood Grove, Man.; Major Albert Burton Gresham, Winnipeg; Lieut. Ronald Jamieson Hooper, Winnipeg; Capt. Lyle Thomas Tarbuth, Winnipeg.

DIED OF WOUNDS

Force Headquarters—Sigmn. John Lloyd Frederick Fairley, K34612, Jack Young Fairley (father), General Delivery, Port Alberni, B.C.

Quebec Regiment — Rfmn. Bryce Adams, Hamilton; Cpl. John Coleman, Montreal; Rfmn. Delmar Forsyth, Chicoutimi, Que.; Rfmn. John McKay, Restigouche County, N.B.; Rfmn. Alexander Rattie, Cross Point, Que.; Rfmn. Morton George Clinton Thompson, Restigouche County, N.B.

Manitoba Regiment — Pte. Lawrence Bernard Joseph Kelly, St. Vital, Man.; Pte. Nicholas Anderson Osadchuk, Winnipeg; Pte. Orville Wilson Rodd, Winnipeg; Pte. Earl Beaverley Till, Minitonas, Man.

MISSING IN ACTION

Force Headquarters—Sgt. Charles Lewis Jewitt, London, Ont.; Pte. Ambrose Neasome, Montreal; Rfmn. Percy Coleman Atwood, Shelburne County, N.S.; Sgt. Leonard Beattie, Iberville, Que.; Rfmn. Hubert Bujold, Bonaventure County, Que.; Rfmn. Philip George Corsman, Gaspe County, Que.; Rfmn. Edgar Doucet, West Bathurst, N.B.; Rfmn. George Hailey, Sherbrooke, Que.; Rfmn. Valmont Lebel, Campbellton, N.B.; Rfmn. James William Linn, Marmora, Ont.; Rfmn. John Richard Long, Tide Head, N.B.; Rfmn. Joseph McIsaac, Iverness, N.S.; Rfmn. Murray Timothy Mahoney, Sussex, N.B.; Cpl. George Henry Martel, Quebec; Rfmn. Paul Martin, Bonaventure County, Que.; Rfmn. James Werin Mohan, Midland, Ont.; Rfmn. Wallace Leslie Moore, Kentville, N.S.; Rfmn. Claud Patrick Murphy, Halifax; Rfmn. Frederick William Pollock, Kings County, N.B.; Rfmn. Porter Pratt, Matapedia, Que.; Rfmn. Colin Reid, Quebec; Rfmn. Eric George Watts, E30073, Mrs. Lillian Watts (mother), address unknown; Pte. John Harry Wills, Mount Dennis, Ont.

Manitoba Regiment — Cpl. Tage Gynther Agerbak, Pilotmound, Man.; Pte. William Laurence Atkinson, Black Hawk, Ont.; Pte. Oliver Amy Barron, Winnipeg; L.-Cpl. David Vernon Boyd, Winnipeg; Pte. William Crawford, Winnipeg; Pte. Albert Henry Davis, St. Vital, Man.; Pte. Leon DesLaurier, Winnipeg; Pte. Oscar Goodman, Selkirk, Man.; Pte. Cecil Henry James Johnson, St. James, Man.; Pte. Lorn William Johnson, Bulyea, Sask.; Pte. Theodore Jonsson, Winnipeg; Pte. William Alexander Kellas, North Kildonan, Man.; Pte. Ernie Joseph Lousier, Bowsman, Man.; L.-Cpl. Albert William Morgan, Winnipeg; Pte. Richard Owen, Winnipeg; Pte. Max Shrolny, Winnipeg; Pte. Edwin Swanson, Vassar, Man.; Rfmn. John Edward Tompkins, Winnipeg; Pte. Edwin Ernest Whiteside, Winnipeg; Pte. Charles Willis, Winnipeg; Pte. William James Wilson, Winnipeg.

LADYSMITH COUNCIL COMMITTEES NAMED

LADYSMITH, Jan. 7—A new mayor and four aldermen were sworn into office at the statutory meeting of the 1943 city council.

Mayor Ernest Jameson announced the following committees, with the first named chairman of each committee: Finance, Alderman W. Cullum and Alderman W. Joyce; electric, Alderman F. Johnston and Alderman W. Cullum; works, Alderman W. Joyce and Alderman P. R. Battie; firewardens, Alderman P. Johnston and Alderman R. S. Joyce; property, Alderman P. R. Battie and Alderman W. Joyce; cemetery, Alderman R. S. Joyce and Alderman P. R. Battie; war emergency, Alderman W. Cullum and Alderman R. S. Joyce; health committee, the entire council.

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Custard Powder, Diamond "S," per tin	22¢
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Salt, Windsor, 1½-lb. square cartons	2 for 9¢
Cocoa, Neilson's, 1 lb.	29¢
Chipso, giant pkg. for	49¢
Tomato Soup, Van Camp's, 10-oz. tins	3 for 25¢
Dog Food, Dr. Ballard's, pkts.	2 for 19¢
Sandwich Spread, Nalley's, 8-oz. jar	19¢
Puffed Wheat, large 16-oz. bag	14¢
Mazola Oil, 2-lb. tin	55¢
Floor Wax, Elegant, 1-lb. tin	27¢
Fru-Tea, 1-lb. pkt.	42¢
Cream Crackers, Red Arrow, family pkt.	19¢
Creamettes, pkts.	3 for 25¢
Blue, Reckitt's, pkts.	2 for 9¢
Bird Seed, Champion, pkts.	2 for 25¢
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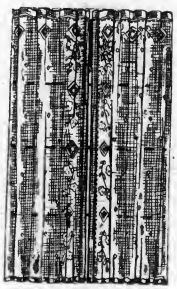

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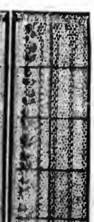

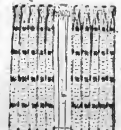

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LACE NETS—36 inches wide. In filet net design. Ecru and ivory. A yard 49¢

LACE NETS—42 inches wide. Ecru and ivory shades. A yard 59¢

LACE NETS—42 and 45 inches wide, in a selection of designs. Ecru, beige or ivory colors. A yard 79¢

LACE NETS—45 and 50 inches wide. Fine quality. Ecru or ivory. A yard 98¢

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SECOND NEWS SECTION

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SECOND NEWS SECTION

NO. 23—EIGHTY-FIFTH YEAR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 1943

Glancing Over Sport

By JOE DELAHUNTY

THE CAGE OUTLOOK

Within a short time the basketballers will have to vacate the Sports Centre at the Willows as the military authorities are moving in. Now the big question is: Where will the league stage their remaining games and also play-offs? There's only one gymnasium-worth playing in when the boys say good-bye to the Sports Centre and that is the Victoria High School. Already league officials have approached the City School Board on the matter. The result was the board appointed a delegation of two members to meet representatives of the Victoria and District Basketball League to thrash out the serious situation facing the cagers.

It is hoped that the board can see their way clear to permit the league the use of the High gym for at least two nights a week. From what I can understand the floor is vacant practically every night, so it wouldn't hurt the trustees the least little bit in aiding the basketballers to carry on. Another thing the city would benefit financially from the games, which would certainly attract more spectators than those which have been played at the Sports Centre, for the simple reason the High School is in the city and a much warmer building. On the other hand if the School Board turns down the league proposition only one thing can happen and that is the basketballers will have to call it a season and that, ladies and gentlemen, would be tragic.

In past years the High gym has been the scene of some of the most hectic men's senior play-offs in local history, especially those thrillers against Varsity on more than one occasion, Vancouver Province and the Westerns. Hundreds of inter-city games were played there while all the barnstorming clubs performed on the Fernwood district court. I have covered games at the High School for this paper when the gym was loaded to capacity, not another single soul could have squeezed into the place. So let's hope that the board and league come to an amicable agreement so the High School can be once more the home of our basketballers.

ODDS AND ENDS

It was announced yesterday that Stan King, centre of the R.C.A.F.'s famous "K" line in the Island hockey circuit, has a broken bone in his right wrist and will be out of the line-up for four or five weeks. It is now in a plaster cast so Stan will be a spectator for some time. . . . Also that the Flyers will introduce a complete new junior forward line from Stratford, Ont., and they are expected to make their first appearance against the Navy on the evening of January 25. The lads are said to be smart hockey players and they know each other's play like a book . . . Taking the team man for man the airmen should pick up a couple of points this evening at the expense of the V.M.D., but one never knows what will happen as there have been so many surprises of late. . . . Al Simmons, one of the stars of Connie Mack's great Philadelphia team more than a decade ago and coach last season for the same club, has retired from baseball. He will stick with his job at the Ford Hospital in Detroit. . . . It looks as if horse racing at the Willows is off for the "duration" now that the Army has taken over the grounds and the buildings. . . . Do you know that five and tenpin bowlers in the United States spent more than $1,800,000,000 on alleys throughout the country during 1942?

IN THE MAIL BAG

Sports Editor.

Dear Sir,—Will be very obliged if you will insert the following on your page. Once again our all-star soccer team has been defeated by a Vancouver club. The result was not unexpected and possibly the experiment will be repeated many times in the future.

A picked team, however, is bound to disappoint unless it has considerable practice together, or better still, until it has played several matches. The very nature of the game, association, as the name signifies, is team play, and this team play or understanding cannot be manufactured by a selection committee. Likewise there is the tremendous asset of team spirit, which does not often develop in a picked team.

While the soccer public may be interested in these all-star selections, yet the game itself does not benefit. Local league football is at a standstill while the inter-city games go on, whereas the whole purpose of the league officials should be to keep the playing fields filled each week-end with as many teams and players in action as possible. Let the officials, next time the opportunity occurs, select one of our own league team to represent us.

The game will prosper best when box receipts are considered a minute detail compared to the encouragement of more and more playing of the game itself.

Yours truly,

William J. V. Church.

1250 Oliver Street.

Comment: Due to lack of space I will answer your letter tomorrow.

Apart from the Christmas season, the present demand for poultry in Canada is the heaviest on record.

N.B.A. Announces Boxing Rankings

National Boxing Association Includes Two Canadians Among List—Lightweight Division Without a Champion—Champions And Leading Contenders Given

By SID FEDER
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—The National Boxing Association today announced its regular quarterly ratings of fighters in all divisions along with a statement from President Abe Greene that "full responsibility" for "cleavage" in boxing championships lies directly with the New York State Athletic Commission.

Most pointed factor in the ratings was that of the top seven men in each of the four heavier divisions—welterweight through heavyweight—a total of more than half are in one branch or another of the armed forces and thereby out of active competition for the duration. Altogether seventeen of these twenty-eight tusslers are in service, headed by the four champions—Heavyweight Joe Louis, Light-Heavyweight Gus Lesnevich, Middleweight Tony Zale and Welterweight Red Cochrane.

In its ratings, the N.B.A. gave recognition to two Canadians. Johnny Greco, of Montreal, was listed among the logical contenders for the vacant lightweight championship and Jackie Callura, of Hamilton, Ont., was named as an "outstanding boxer" in the featherweight division.

Greene referred directly to the lightweight and bantamweight title situations in "pointing a finger" at the New York commission. The New York body has awarded Sammy Angott's abdicated lightweight throne to Beau Jack without the benefit of a previously-agreed-upon tournament. In the bantamweight mix-up, the New York commission refused to recognize Manuel Ortiz after he whipped Lou Salica in a ten-rounder in California. Since then, New York sanction also was withdrawn from Salica, but still the Manhattan fistic fathers refused to put the crown on Ortiz' head.

"How can the public have faith in such contortions?" Greene asked. "If we are to have boxing, then personal aggrandizement, prejudice and influence should be eliminated."

The ratings left the lightweight championship vacant, named Beau Jack the "leading contender" and then grouped as "logical contenders" eleven other 135-pounders, all of whom are eligible for the nation-wide title tournament the N.B.A. has planned. Under this plan, the tournament survivor would meet Jack for the title.

COMPLETE RATINGS

Heavyweights — Champion: Joe Louis, U.S. Army and Detroit. Logical contender: Billy Conn, U.S. Army and Pittsburgh. Outstanding boxers: Melio Bettina, U.S. Army and Beacon, N.Y.; Tami Mauriello, New York; Turkey Thompson, Los Angeles; Pat Valentino, U.S. Coast Guard and San Francisco; Lee Savold, Des Moines; Roscoe Toles, Detroit.

Light-Heavyweights — Champion: Gus Lesnevich, U.S. Coast Guard and Cliffside, N.J. Logical contenders, Jimmy Bivins, Cleveland, Ezzard Charles, Cincinnati; Billy Soose, U.S. Navy and Farrell, Pa.; Anton Christoforidis, Greece. Outstanding boxers: Nate Giden, Chicago; Ken Overlin, U.S. Navy and Decatur, Ill.; Freddie Mills, England; Tommy Tucker, U.S. Navy and New York; Johnny Colan, U.S. Coast Guard and New York.

Middleweights — Champion: Tony Zale, U.S. Navy and Gary, Ind. Logical contenders: Georgie Abrams, U.S. Navy and Washington; Tony (Cianciola) Martin, U.S. Coast Guard and Milwaukee. Outstanding boxers: Ernie Vigh, U.S. Coast Guard and Newburgh, N.Y.; Volley Welch, U.S. Coast Guard and Portland, Me.; Fred Apostoli, U.S. Navy and San Francisco; Holman Williams, Detroit, Glivera Kid Tunero, Puerto Rico, Steve Belloise, U.S. Navy and New York; Eddie Booker, Los Angeles.

Welterweights—Champion: Freddie (Red) Cochrane, U.S. Navy and Elizabeth, N.J. Logical contenders: Ray Robinson, New York; Henry Armstrong, Los Angeles; California Jackie Wilson, U.S. Army and Los Angeles. Outstanding boxers: Fritzie Zivic, Pittsburgh; Marty Servo, U.S. Coast Guard and Schenectady, N.Y.; Young Kid McCoy, U.S. Army and Detroit; Louis Kid Cocoa, New Haven, Conn.

Lightweights—Champion: Vacant. Leading contender: Beau Jack, Augusta, Ga. Logical contenders: Willie Joyce, Gary, Ind.; Allie Stolz, Newark, N.J.; Juan Zurita, Los Angeles; Bob Montgomery, Philadelphia; Maxie Shapiro, New York; Slugger White, Baltimore; Johnny Thomas, Los Angeles; Cleo Shans, Los Angeles, Joey Peralta, Tamaqua, Pa.; Chester Rico, New York; Johnny Greco, Montreal.

Featherweights—Champion Pittsburgh Jackie Wilson, Pittsburgh. Logical contender: Willie Pep, Hartford, Conn. Outstanding boxers: Chalky Wright, Los Angeles; Lulu Constantino, New York; Sal Bartolo, Boston; Mike Raffa, U.S. Army and Philadelphia; Jackie Callura, Hamilton, Ont.

Bantamweights—Champion: Manuel Ortiz, Los Angeles. Logical contender Ji Kong Young, Hawaii.

Flyweights — Champion: Little Dado, Philippines. Logical contenders: Jackie Patterson, England; Peter Kane, England.

JAILED FOR USING DOPE ON RABBITS

Sentences Follow Inquiry Into Greyhound Racing In Old Country

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP).—The rabbit was on its way, the greyhound traps were sprung, but one of the racers just walked from the cage and curled up on the ground.

That was more than a year ago and, combined with similar stories from throughout the country of greyhounds "too lazy" to run, brought about a painstaking investigation by Scotland Yard that ended last month with conviction of three men on charges of drugging the animals. Flying squad members continue searching, meanwhile, for other members of the "racket."

The three were convicted after a four-day trial at historic Old Bailey of "conspiring with others to defraud people who might bet on greyhound racing results." A one-time member of an English dancing troupe at the Follies Bergere, Paris, was instrumental in their apprehension.

SENTENCED TO JAIL

Sentenced to terms ranging from twenty-one to nine months in prison were a thirty-nine-year-old horse dealer, Leonard Jones, Salesman Monty Kosky, thirty-one, and Solomon Gowers, thirty, doorman of a London West-End night club. Kosky previously had been "warned off" dog tracks.

Experts were puzzled when from various tracks came reports of dogs, regarded as certain winners, being afflicted by the strange malady which made them indifferent to running. Detectives who mingled with the race "mob" gleaned nothing.

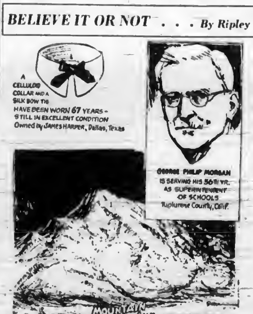
Then Alva Denise Ashley, the dancer, came on the scene. She had been asked to apply for a post as kennel-maid (girls have replaced called-up men as kennel hands at most tracks) at Wembley Stadium and was promised big money if she would administer a certain drug to certain dogs. The drug, she was told, would make the racers drowsy for a short time and would have no permanent ill-effects.

Miss Ashley pretended to agree, then told the entire story to Scotland Yard. Samples of the drug, given her to be administered to the animals, were analyzed. It was found that the effects soon passed away, so explaining difficulty experienced in discovering the "laziness" reason.

REFEREE FOUND DEAD

HAMILTON, Ont., Jan. 7 (CP).—Eugene (Duke) Willis, wrestling referee and former football player, was found dead in bed at his home here yesterday. He played inside wing for Hamilton Tigers, of the Inter-Provincial Rugby Football Union, more than two decades ago before quitting the gridiron to referee wrestling matches.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT . . . By Ripley



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EXPLANATION TO YESTERDAY'S CARTOON

The First Uniformed Soldiers—The first uniforms ever worn by a military unit in all history were those imposed by Louis XIV's minister Louvois, on the Guardes Françaises in 1668. Prior to that the attire of the soldier did not differ from that of the civilian. The reason for the innovation was that many civilians horned in on the preference which the ladies of the period had for the members of the armed forces. The uniform made it clear who was a soldier and who was not.

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Will Play Goal for Flyers Tonight

ALEC CLOW

FIRST-string net custodian in the R.C.A.F. hockey camp who will be in front of the webbing for tonight's Vancouver Island Senior Amateur Hockey League fixture at the Willows Arena. Holding down third spot in the standings, the Flyers will face Coach Art Somers' shipyard workers, lowly cellar occupants, who are badly in need of points. Airmen will be without the services of Stan King, flashy centre of the "K-K-K" line, who is nursing a fractured bone in his right wrist. V.M.D. will have all of their regulars on deck including Jack Kilpatrick, who has decided to have another fling at his favorite Winter pastime. Eric Patzer will guard the net for the shipyard workers, with Elton McFadzen, Frank Warshawski, Al Euerby and probably Wally McIntyre sharing the defence berths. Maurice Duffy, Connie King and "Bud" Brayshaw will be the starting line, with "Red" Beattie, "Bud" Gourlie, Jack Kilpatrick and Bert Yesowick ready for relief duty. With the clubs heading down the home stretch and battling for play-off berths, the shipyard team will "shoot the works" tonight against the Flyers. Face-off is set for 8.30 o'clock.

Sport Fans Blamed For Recent Banning

Parking Lot Pictures at Race Track, Football Games and Other Events Causes Showdown—30,000 Cars in Vicinity of Rose Bowl Game

By WHITNEY MARTIN
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—Well, if you ask us the sports fans asked for it. Asked for the ban on all pleasure driving along the Eastern seaboard, that is.

The handwriting has been on the wall these many months. It didn't take a code expert to glean from periodic official utterances the fact that the Government frowned upon the use of motor cars in attending sports events, yet what happened?

Pictures of race track parking lots showed them jammed until you couldn't squeeze in a bicycle. Regular season football games in some instances prided in whopping attendance, with any heeby-jeebie knowing all the fans didn't come by train or walk.

And what capped it off was the news that 30,000 cars were parked in the vicinity of the Rose Bowl New Year's Day. That was the clincher, and it seems like more than a coincidence that the drastic curb followed almost immediately that enlightening information.

Furthermore, the gas situation in the East is not to be compared with that in other parts of the country, where it is recognized that the four-gallon A card is to conserve rubber rather than fuel. Were that not the reason, you'd have a hard time trying to convince some resident of Oklahoma or Texas that rationing for him was necessary, particularly if he ran out of gas between two oil wells that were spouting so many gallons a minute.

Sport fans are in the unfortunate position of being the goat in that their offence, if it could be called that, stands out like a sore thumb. A big sports event naturally draws a big crowd, and the accompanying accumulation of cars is more noticeable. The 30,000 at the Rose Bowl, for instance, just shouted for recognition.

The theory of many motorists still was that as long as they were allowed three or four gallons they could use it as they saw fit, although it has been made clear time and again that the allowance was for essential driving, and not for pleasure.

But we still think poor judgment has been shown by promoters of big sports events in not discouraging motorized attendance. After all, a gent living in a glass house shouldn't encourage his guests to bring their own rocks.

TEAMS REGISTER EASY VICTORIES

One-Sided Scores Feature Table Tennis Association Fixtures at Crystal Garden

One-sided victories featured Victoria Table Tennis Association fixtures played Monday evening at the Crystal Garden.

Chinese Students, holding down second berth in the league standings, trounced Liberty Cafe, 29-7. P. Lou Poy paced the winners with eight points.

Jokers came through with a 27-9 win over Hill's U-Drive, and Belcher's Movie Snaps defeated Sylvester U-Drive, 21-15, to move into third place.

R.A.F. No. 2 squad checked in with their initial triumph of the season when they turned back Barmacs, 19-17, in the most keenly-contested game of the evening. R.A.F. No. 1, league leaders, were idle.

Results follow:

Jokers 27, Hill's U-Drive 9.

Chinese Students 29, Liberty Cafe 7.

Belcher's Movie Snaps 21, Sylvester U-Drive 15.

R.A.F. No. 2 19, Barmacs 17.

NEXT WEEK'S GAMES

Fixtures scheduled for next Monday follow:

Hill's U-Drive vs. R.A.F. No. 1.

Sylvester U-Drive vs. Jokers.

R.A.F. No. 2 vs. Liberty Cafe.

Chinese Students vs. Belcher's Movie Snaps.

LEAGUE STANDING

First Division

League standing up to and including Monday's games, follows:

	P	W	D	L	Games F.	Games A.	P
R.A.F. No. 1	13	9	3	1	285	181	20
Chinese Students	13	9	0	4	200	173	18
Belcher's	12	8	0	4	260	143	16
Jokers	13	5	5	4	231	185	16
Hill's U-Drive	12	5	3	4	210	223	13
Sylvester's U-Drive	13	5	3	5	228	204	13
Liberty Cafe	13	[illegible]	3	[illegible]	167	241	[illegible]
Barmacs	12	0	0	9	110	273	4
R.A.F. No. 2	13	1	2	10	129	292	3

DAVE CASTILLOUX WILL FACE GRECO

MONTREAL, Jan. 7 (CP).—L.A.C. Dave Castilloux will return here immediately after his non-title fight at Edmonton January 29 or 30 with Pte. Al Lust to sign for a lightweight title match with Johnny Greco, Montreal fighter, it was learned today.

Castilloux, who leaves today for Calgary, where he will train for his bout with Lust, made the promise to return here to sign for a title match with Greco during a long-distance conversation with Jack Sharkey in New York.

It was understood that Sharkey will be joint promoter of the bout.

Canadian Sport Snapshots

Quartette of Former Well Known Big League Hockey Players Playing Amateur for First Time With Winnipeg R.C.A.F.—Jumped From Junior to Majors

By CHARLES EDWARDS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

TORONTO, Jan. 7 (CP).—Four members of Winnipeg R.C.A.F. Bombers are playing their first season of senior amateur hockey and doing quite well. They are Wally Stanowski, Pete Langelle, Bill Juzda and Andy Brannigan. Surprised? Admittedly the quartette had considerable experience in the National League, but none played senior amateur before this season. All four made the jump to professional ranks direct from junior company.

OLD WINE AND NEW

When Glen Harmon played with Montreal Canadiens in the N.H.L. Sunday night, on loan for one game from the Amateur Canadiens, it was his fifth game in seven nights. The preceding Monday he played in Montreal's tough Commercial League. On Tuesday night he coached Canadiens Juniors. Wednesday, Friday and Saturday he was on defence with the Amateur Canadiens. He was tired Sunday with the pros, but turned in a bang-up performance. Baz (Montreal Star) O'Meara commented: "They tell us about how durable the old-timers were, but in rebuttal we can offer you fellows like Harmon who play as much hockey in one week sometimes as the old-timers did in two or even three. If you look back you will find that most of the hockey old-timers received their reputations for durability because they played in about a dozen games or almost sixteen or so all Winter."

ADMIRAL BUD

Last Saturday night in an exhibition hockey game at Kingston, Ont., Toronto Navy beat Kingston Frontenacs, 4-3. The Navy goalie was a former Sault Ste. Marie boy, Bud LaMarche, who played with Kansas City in the American Association two seasons back.

Bill (Kingston Whig-Standard) Walsh commented: "Bud LaMarche is not the whole Navy team . . . he's the whole fleet. . . . LaMarche may be an ordinary seaman but his puck-stopping was admiral. In fact, he classes with the best seen on Kingston ice in many years."

INCIDENTALLY

Johnny Mahaffy, standout player with Montreal Royals in the Quebec Senior Hockey League, is expected to join a branch of the armed services this week. . . . Pilot Officer Bob Walker, South Dakota University football star, who was a mainstay of Regina Roughriders for years, is being posted to Canada's west coast as an R.C.A.F. sports officer. . . . Bus Haugh, whose all-round prowess won him football, softball and bowling fame at Toronto, Regina and Vancouver, has been appointed senior Y.M.C.A. supervisor at No. 2 Wireless School, R.C.A.F., Calgary.

FRANKS STARS AS RANGERS GAIN TIE

Turns in Sensational Performance in Goal for New York and Game Ends in 2-2 Deadlock—Makes Forty-Five Stops, Eighteen In the Opening Period

LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W	L	D	Goals F	Goals A	Pts
Toronto	13	8	4	122	75	30
Boston	12	8	6	93	88	30
Detroit	10	7	7	80	65	27
Chicago	9	7	6	78	79	24
Rangers	7	14	4	79	115	18
Canadiens	6	13	5	71	101	17

Last Night's Score

Detroit 2, Rangers 2.

Next Games

Saturday—Detroit at Toronto, Boston at Canadiens.

Sunday—Canadiens at Rangers, Toronto at Boston, Detroit at Chicago.

DETROIT, Jan. 7 (AP).—New York Rangers came from behind in the last period to play Detroit Red Wings to a 2-2 tie in a National Hockey League game tonight before 7,886 spectators. Bryan Hextall's shot squared the count after Jimmy Franks had turned in a superlative job in the Rangers' net.

Detroit, consolidating its hold on third place, smashed home goals by Don Grosso and Syd Howe less than four minutes apart in the second period to seize a 2-1 margin after Alfie Pike had tallied for the Rangers in the early minutes. Hextall then connected in the seventh minute of the last period.

Franks, former Detroit spare goalie, kicked out forty-five shots, many of them difficult, as the Red Wings turned all their guns loose on him. He drew a huge ovation from the crowd which broke out sporadically in jeers directed at Mowers, who currently is in front in the Vezina Trophy race for net-minding excellence. Mowers stopped ten shots.

In many ways the first period was the hardest for Franks. He handled eighteen chances flawlessly, while Mowers yielded Pike's goal on New York's second shot of the game. Mowers had only one save. Both in the second and third periods Franks was compelled to ward off his toe with a teammate in the penalty box.

Detroit's only penalty came sixty-two seconds from the finish, too late to do the Rangers much good, although Lynn Patrick had a good shot at Mowers in the last six seconds.

The tie was the second between the two clubs this season. Detroit having a 2-1 edge in victories. It was Detroit's seventh tie of the campaign and New York's fourth.

Centre Phil Watson, returning to the Ranger line-up with his broken wrist in a cast, set up Pike's goal. Grosso, who likewise wears a cast resulting from an injury, slapped home a neat goal for Detroit.

LINE-UPS

New York—Franks, Garrett; Heller, Kirkpatrick, Hextall, Patrick. Subs: Pike, Davidson, P. Watson, Warwick, Smith, Cameron, Myles.

Detroit—Mowers; Orlando, Stewart, Howe, Bruneteau, H. Watson. Subs: Motter, Simon, Grosso, Abel, Carveth, Holota, Wares, Liscombe.

Referee, Chadwick; linesmen, McCabe and Roulston.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, New York, Pike (P. Watson), 7.16.

Second Period—2, Detroit, Grosso (Abel, Carveth), .51. 3, Detroit, Howe (H. Watson, Bruneteau), 4.03. Penalty, Myles.

Third Period—4, New York, Hextall (Patrick, Kirkpatrick), 6.40. Penalties: Hextall, Stewart.

FOUR CAGE GAMES TOMORROW NIGHT

Another quadruple basketball programme will be presented at the Sports Centre, the Willows, tomorrow evening, with the Army and V.M.D. senior "B" men's squads, playing in the feature attraction.

Here is the complete card:

7.00—K.V.'s vs. Fairfield, intermediate "B" boys.

8.00—Unitys vs. Kandy Kids, women's exhibition.

9.00—Army vs. V.M.D., senior "B" men.

10.00—Reds vs. West Road, senior "B" men.

Boxing Show at Nanaimo Sunday For the Troops

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP).—Vancouver's Amateur Boxing Commission in co-operation with Promoter Sid Beech, plans to stage a monster boxing show at Nanaimo on Sunday for soldiers stationed on Vancouver Island, it was learned today.

Five Golden Gloves champions will take part. Jackie Hamilton, "Golden Boy" of the recent tournament, takes on Harry Smith in one contest and in another Hank Egli, middleweight champion, fights Ron Whaley, light-heavy titleholder.

Emery Ramsay, lightweight champion of the Golden Gloves, will tackle Ninn Barichello and Welterweight Champion Bus Lindsay is slated to meet Eric Burnell, R.C.A.F. Several other contests are lined up and by way of variety Jack Whelan, Dominion wrestling champion, will meet Rifleman Papal, Eastern champion.

Army Rugby Team Strengthened for Barnard Cup Game

FIRST-HALF honors in the Barnard Cup race will be at stake tomorrow at Macdonald Park when Royal Air Force and Army Rugby fifteens meet in a crucial fixture. Soldiers, one point back of the British Airmen, must win to take the laurels, while a draw will give the R.A.F. the honors. The lads in khaki are strengthening their squad in hopes of victory and will trot out three new players including Bill Gornall, former member of the championship Crimson Tide fifteen. Rival line-ups will be studded with "Rep" players, and followers of the sport should witness a fast, interesting match. Kick-off is set for 2.30 o'clock. Army line-up follows: Peden; Dier, Smith, Muir, Chapman, Spiers; Cochrane, Bray, Cory, Sparks, Gornall, F. Doheny, Williams, Burgess and Pritchard.

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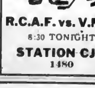

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President's Speech Praised in Britain

Arrangements Made in London for Broadcasting in Twenty-Six Languages Within 24 Hours—Leading Newspapers Print Favorable Comment

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP).—British Government circles tonight declared unofficially that President Roosevelt's speech to Congress today was one of his best, and Britons generally cheered the address, which was heard clearly throughout Britain on the B.B.C. radio relay.

The Daily Express said that "As we read this account of the American war equipment we were cheered and made confident."

"But there was one solemn reflection," The Express added. "This year many branches of American and British war industry will reach their production peaks. No longer can we look to the future for bigger output on present plans. Our preparations have come to the final proof . . . we do not fear the ordeal."

Britons especially applauded when the President told Congress that "We are going to strike and strike hard in Europe."

While the President's address was being heard in Britain, the B.B.C. began telling the occupied countries of Europe what he was saying.

The B.B.C. arranged to broadcast the speech in twenty-six languages and in 135 bulletins in the next twenty-four hours.

The Daily Mail said:

"A man of action and a man of vision speak in the noble words of President Roosevelt's address to Congress. The President will fight the Axis to the last minute with the last gun. And when the war is over he will do his utmost to see that his country fights against want and fear, both as a nation and as a member of the international order. This is the meaning of his speech. Mr. Roosevelt has given us one of the most encouraging, stimulating and statesmanlike addresses of recent years."

SPIRIT OF OFFENSIVE

The London Daily Telegraph said:

"Roosevelt spoke to the Congress in the spirit of the offensive which inspires his country and the Allies. . . . Such a message should give a good start to Congress, which may well prove to be historic. It will certainly give the finest encouragement to those who now are allies of the United States and who hope to be long their associates. . . . It would be a tragedy if the constructive criticism (in Congress) sags into nagging. That can hardly happen after the President sounded so clear and confident a note. It is an augury of better things not only on the battlefronts but also on all home fronts."

The Manchester Guardian commented:

"In the closing passages of his speech Roosevelt developed the further application of the four freedoms which he first outlined in a message two years ago.

"Two years ago he stated these as ideals. Now he stated them as positive practical objects to which the American people must address themselves. 'Freedom from want' was not put in abstract terms but as a demand of the ordinary people . . . and as a matter for Congress to think about.

"In political terms the President indicated sharply that if Congress does not concern itself with economic policies designed to secure full employment and with social security schemes to give 'assurances against life's hazards' it would be the worse for Congress."

The London News Chronicle said: "The President's confidence in the triumph of the United Nations contrasts sharply with the despondent tone of Hitler's recent speeches. . . . His emphasis upon the necessity of planning now for the four freedoms will give great satisfaction not only in America but throughout the democratic world."

The majority of the papers gave one of their four pages to the full text with other articles connected with it.

New Players to Join the Flyers

Royal Canadian Air Force hockey team, third berth occupants in the Vancouver Island Senior Amateur Hockey League, will get additional player material this week, according to an announcement made yesterday by Flt. Lt. Higman, club president.

Latest additions to the playing roster include a complete line, the players being Burdett, Gapschene and Mavity, former Stratford juniors. They played together for two seasons at Stratford, and were considered the class of the junior circuit. Last year they turned senior in Eastern Canada.

BIVINS BEATS CHARLES

CLEVELAND, Jan. 7 (AP).—Jimmy Bivins, of Cleveland, ranked by the National Boxing Association as the logical contender for the light-heavyweight title held by Gus Lesnevich, blasted out a ten-round decision over Ezzard Charles, of Cincinnati, here tonight.

ARMY SOCCER LINE-UP

Army soccer line-up for tomorrow's Garrison Cup match with the R.A.F. at Bullen Park follows: Carmichael, Speller, MacKay, Fieldhouse, Gold, Trevis, Hayward, Leigh, Coster, Dallimore, Slanec and Hunt.

"One day" said the old countryman from the hills, who was on trial for murder, "when my rheumatism was pestering me, and my daughter had just eloped with a good-for-nothin' scalawag, and my barn had burned down and I lost both my mules, and my best old sow got the cholera and died, and I just heard they had foreclosed the mortgage and the sheriff was lookin' for me, I told my troubles to one of these here optimists, and he said: 'Cheer up, old top, the worst is yet to come!' So I shot him."

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MONTGOMERY FACES RICO

Fifteen-Round Fight Carded Tonight in Madison Square Garden

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—The lightweight fistic follies, a production that has provided this season with its most hilarious laughs and sinister plots, adds another skit of songs and patter in Madison Square Garden tomorrow night with a fifteen-round punch-party between Bob Montgomery and Chester Rico.

Just how this one fits into the somewhat mumble-jumble pattern to name a successor to Sammy Angott's abdicated 135-pound crown depends on just where you live and which part of the comedy you've applauded up to now.

Around here, Chairman John J. Phelan and his fellow members of the New York State Athletic Commission, already have "blessed" Beau Jack with the championship through his recent victory over Tippy Larkin. As a result, they say the Montgomery-Rico run-in is simply one of the matches in a tournament to decide a challenger for Jack.

On the other hand, the National Boxing Association, spread out over most of the country, is going along on the theory that championships are won and lost in the ring and that there are a dozen or more capable clouters around who should have a crack at the title before it's handed to anyone. So the N.B.A. tabs tomorrow's tussle as just one in the tournament, the winner of which will be crowned with Angott's bauble.

The betting gents have installed Montgomery a mere 2 to 3 favorite over the slim New Yorker. This corner strings along with Montgomery.

UPSETS STIR ICE CIRCUIT

Major Upheavals in Alberta Services League Feature Recent Games

CALGARY, Jan. 7 (CP).—Two major upheavals stirred the Alberta Senior Services Hockey League during the last fortnight—the lowly Red Deer Army Wheelers whipped the powerful Calgary Army squad in a surprising upset, and Lethbridge Bombers, beset by a player shortage, made a move to amalgamate with Calgary's R.C.A.F. Mustangs.

Not much publicity was given the latter move, but it was reported that the deal was called off after negotiations were all but complete, when Calgary Army and Red Deer threatened to withdraw from the league if it was carried out.

The Lethbridge player shortage caused postponement of two of their games, but the club management is hopeful of getting some new material soon.

Mustangs and Army are still battling for the league lead, with the airmen currently leading by a point as a result of a victory over Bombers at Calgary last night in Lethbridge's first game since December 1.

Mustangs and Calgary both have won seven games. Mustangs have lost three against two defeats for the Army, but the Currie men have two games in hand to their intra-city rivals. The airmen lead by the one point they gained in their only tie game of the season against Lethbridge currently riding in third place.

The biggest upset of the season came last Saturday at Red Deer when the down-trodden and luckless Army Wheelers staged a hockey revolution, back-checking the star-studded Calgary Army team to a standstill for a 3-1 victory. Only a third period goal saved Calgary from a whitewashing.

It was Red Deer's first victory of the season and the fact Calgary Army once beat them 20-7 made it all the more surprising. Previously Red Deer's closest approach to a victory was a 4-4 tie with Lethbridge Bombers whom they meet in their next action at Red Deer tonight.

JOEY ARCHIBALD BEATEN

CLEVELAND, Jan. 7 (AP).—Joey Archibald, of Providence, R.I., twice holder of the featherweight title, took a beating from Joey Pirrone, hard-hammering Cleveland lightweight, who gained an eight-round decision in their match at the Arena tonight.

The 133-pound Pirrone kept the former titlist bouncing off the canvas most of the eight rounds. Archibald weighed 126.

OAK BAY WINS

Oak Bay defeated Mount View 3-0, in a juvenile soccer league fixture played yesterday at Heywood Avenue. The losers only fielded eight players.

PIMLICO MAY HANDLE RACES

Maryland's 100-Day Programme May Be Switched To One Track

BALTIMORE, Jan. 7 (AP).—Governor Herbert O'Conor, of Maryland, endorsing efforts to keep horse racing alive despite the prohibition on pleasure driving, declared today he will go before the newly-convened General Assembly if necessary to request needed legislation.

O'Conor, whose State Government received a record of $1,612,389 from racing during 1942, left the actual solution to the operators of the four major tracks.

While no definite plan has been devised to keep the sport going in Maryland—where approximately one-third of each year is devoted to racing—it is considered probable that the only necessary statutory change would be a striking out of one restriction.

The Maryland law at present provides for 100 days of racing at major tracks, but with no more than thirty days at any one track. Racing leaders pointed out that the famous Pimlico plant, located within the city limits of Baltimore and easily accessible by trolley, may be able to handle all 100 days.

An alternative was the division of the time with the Laurel track, which lies directly beside the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad's Baltimore-Washington tracks. Laurel ordinarily does not conduct a Spring meeting but its plant could be utilized by another association.

It was considered extremely unlikely that either Havre de Grace or Bowie would hold meetings during 1943 because of inaccessibility.

CHESS MEETING

The annual meeting of the City Chess Club will be held in the clubrooms, 1118 Langley Street, this evening at 8 o'clock. Election of officers for 1943 will be held and other business transacted.

Refreshments will be served and a few games played. All interested are invited to attend.

WHIRLY WILL RACE

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 7 (AP).—In spite of the horse racing shutdown in Florida, Whirlaway will go right on racing—if his trainer, Ben Jones, has his way.

"That horse is fit and just dying to race," Jones said today. "If it is at all possible, I believe we'll ship him to New Orleans.

"Of course, we must hear from Warren Wright first," he added. Wright, Whirlaway's owner, is traveling in the west.

Jones was stranded at Santa Anita with fifty-nine horses last year when racing was stopped, so he was philosophical about yesterday's shutdown when both Tropical Park and Hialeah decided that the Office of Price Administration ban on pleasure driving meant no more racing.

LETHBRIDGE TRIUMPHS

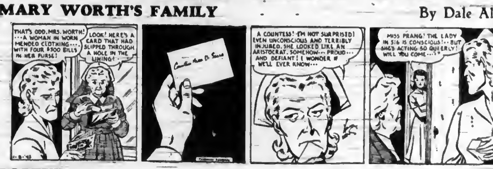
RED DEER, Alta., Jan. 7 (CP).—Lethbridge R.C.A.F. Bombers came from behind in a hectic third period and produced the winning goal in overtime to defeat Red Deer Army Wheelers, 4-3 tonight in an Alberta Senior Services Hockey League game.

Wheelers played airtight hockey for two periods going into the third with a two-goal lead on markers by Sgt. Moon Mullen and Pte. Eddie O'Keefe. But A.C.2 Garth Boesch scored twice and A.C.2 Alex Pringle once for Lethbridge in the third, while Bombers held Wheelers to a lone marker by Pte. Warren Stewart to send the game into overtime.

A.C.2 Gordon Rutten scored the winner for Lethbridge after seven minutes of overtime.

SUPERMAN — *Progress* — By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen



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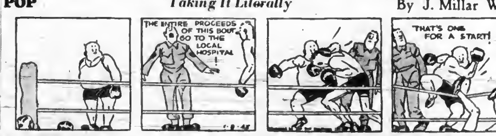

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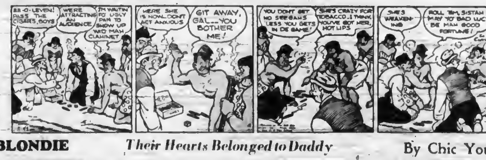

BLONDIE — *Their Hearts Belonged to Daddy* — By Chic Young

QUICKIES

"This one I got with a Colonist Want Ad"— just to remember the good ol' days before rationing!"

LIFE'S LIKE THAT — By Fred Neher

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Capitol

COMMITTED FOR FURTHER TRIAL

Edward Bull to Face Charge Of Manslaughter in Higher Court

Edward Bull, Keating, was committed for trial in a higher court following a preliminary hearing before Magistrate Henry C Hall yesterday in Saanich police court on a charge of manslaughter. The charge arose out of an automobile accident on the East Saanich Road at 4.30 p.m. on December 24 when Sydney Albert Auringer, aged four and one-half years, was killed. Norman Whittaker, K.C., appeared for the accused.

According to evidence given by Pte. E. G. Parrell, a passenger in a car driven by Lieut.-Cmdr. Robert Besant, he noticed the car later identified as having been driven by Bull proceeding ahead at about twenty-five miles per hour. It seemed to be weaving, he said.

"I saw the lad for a short time," he said, "then he disappeared. I saw him again as he rolled from under the car."

Dr J P Vye who examined Bull at 6 p.m. at the Municipal Hall, Royal Oak said Bull had worked all the night before, and admitted having two drinks earlier in the day.

"He appeared worn out and ready to go to sleep," Dr. Vye said. "He did not have the symptoms of a man who had been doing a good deal of drinking."

P O Robert H Ridgway, who was driving a car toward Victoria in the company of several members of the R.A.F., said he saw Bull's car approaching, and noticed an object beneath it on the road. He sounded his horn to attract the driver's attention, then went to the body on the road. The boy was obviously dead, he said.

The accident occurred on East Saanich Road just north of the Royal Oak junction, Constable Victor Smith, of the Saanich police, testified. Both Constable Smith and L.A.C. Norman Alcock, R.A.F., said that immediately after the accident Bull said he knew nothing of what had happened.

OPPOSE FEDERAL RENTALS ORDER

Regulations Expected to Be Further Discussed at Real Estate Board Meeting Today

The Federal Government's new rentals regulations, against which Victoria real estate men have expressed strong opposition, are expected to receive further attention at a meeting of the Real Estate Board in Spencer's dining-room at noon today.

The regulations announced last month by the Prices Board, provide that a tenant of a home which has been sold must be given at least twelve months' notice to vacate by the new owner. Formerly only three months' notice was required.

Seeking public support in its campaign to force the Government to modify the regulations, the Victoria Board has circulated a petition, and reports that it is receiving strong backing. They are hopeful, members said, that the Government will be induced to revise the order described in the petition as "a definite attack on the rights of free citizens by further restricting their power to buy and sell real property."

The new rentals regulations, which became effective December 9 last, were aimed at relieving tenants of the fear of having their homes "sold over their heads," according to Government administrators.

City & District

Collection Increases—Victoria collections for the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund have reached a total of $8,739.35, it was announced yesterday evening. The amount contributed during the day was $446.24.

Five Fined—Three motorists were each fined $2.50 yesterday in the city police court for infractions of parking regulations. Another paid a $5 fine for ignoring a traffic control signal at Government and Johnson Streets. A cyclist was fined $5 for riding a bicycle without a light.

Egg Prices—A four-cent decrease in the price of all sizes of grade "A" eggs, effective today, was reported last night by the Dominion egg inspector. The new prices are as follows. To producer, large .38, medium, .35, pullet, .33. Wholesale to retailer, large, .42, medium, .40, pullet, .37.

Claims Damages—A request for $100 compensation was made at the City Hall yesterday by A Neil Hansen, 228 Irving Road, who claimed that he wrecked his bicycle and sustained injuries on January 4 when he ran into a ditch across Simcoe Street, between St. Lawrence Street and Dallas Road.

Dangerous Driving—Laurie W Moisio pleaded guilty yesterday in the city police court to a charge of driving in a manner dangerous to the public along Broughton Street on Christmas Eve, and was fined $25 by Magistrate Henry C. Hall. Constable Harley Davidson testified that the defendant's automobile struck and damaged a parked car.

White Poles—Alderman W. H. Davies, chairman of the City Council street lighting committee, announced yesterday that electric light and telephone poles would be painted white at a number of intersections in order to make them visible to pedestrians and motorists during dim-outs. He said white paint would also be applied to the bases of poles in locations where they encroach upon sidewalks.

City Anniversary—Alderman D D McTavish, chairman of the city anniversary committee, is making plans for a general meeting of organizations interested in staging events to mark the founding of the city 100 years ago next March. He stated his committee would later invite such organizations to appoint delegates to discuss activities for March and later in the year, during Summer months.

Found Guilty—William A Roberts, a sailor represented by Frank Higgins, K.C., was found guilty yesterday in the city police court on a charge of obstructing Constable T. W. Simmons while engaged in the execution of his duty at Douglas and View Streets on New Year's Eve. Magistrate Hall remanded Roberts until next Monday for sentence. Mr Higgins failed to convince the court it was a case of mistaken identity.

Is Remanded—Oliver Martens was found guilty yesterday in the city police court on a charge of removing three brake shoe keys from a C.P.R. box car in the E. & N. Railway yard on the night of December 14. The keys were identified by George Brown, a railway inspector. Three juveniles testified they actually saw Martens remove the keys. The accused was remanded until next Wednesday for sentence, and also trial on a number of other charges.

No Stamp—It is not the policy of the postal department to issue stamps commemorating the founding of Canadian cities, and it is not customary to issue commemorative stamps in wartime, according to a letter received at the City Hall yesterday from W P Mulock, postmaster-general, Ottawa. The communication was in reply to a suggestion from the City Council, Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau and British Columbia Historical Association that a special stamp be issued to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the founding of Victoria.

Announcements

The Boy Scouts of Victoria and district will collect magazines for the Armed Forces Saturday, January 9. Please leave bundles on the veranda or some convenient place, and if they are not picked up, take them to the nearest School. The magazines will be sent to Mrs Quinn, Esquimalt, who needs 100,000 monthly for the Armed Forces.

Dr. Robert Hamilton, Veterinary Surgeon, will reopen his offices, Room 329, Pemberton Building, January 7, 1943. Empire 9771.

Free—New Colonist Tabloid Cook Book. Circulation Department, The Colonist.

Free, Tabloid of Global War Maps. Circulation Department, Colonist.

VICTORY FIRST FOR ROTARIANS

Is All-Important Objective, Declares F. K. Jones, District Governor

The winning of the war and after that the peace, are the outstanding and all-important objectives to which Rotarians should contribute their energies, Fred K Jones, of Spokane, district governor, told a luncheon meeting of the Victoria club yesterday.

Advocating a closer relationship between countries in North and South America, Mr. Jones said that because of the international aspect of their organization, Rotarians should give serious thought to furthering that objective.

"Victory in the war must come first, but even now we should think and worry about what kind of a world this will be when the war is over. I believe every Rotary club should devote a considerable amount of its time to a study of this question.

"We are going to win this war, in a complete and all-out fashion. That is our paramount and all-important objective. It must come first, and I am glad to find that here in Victoria you Rotarians are doing your part to bring victory. You are contributing your sons, your money and your energies in civilian defence work. It is a job thoroughly well worth doing."

But the winning of the peace, he emphasized, is secondary only to the winning of the war, and efforts in that direction should not be allowed to detract from the main objective. He believed Rotarians could contribute to both.

Mr Jones, who is in the city on his annual visit to the Victoria club and to make arrangements for the 1943 district conference which will be held here April 28 and 29, was introduced by J Carl Pendrey. Mayor Andrew McGavin and members of the City Council were guests at the luncheon and were introduced by James Beatty.

Mrs Binks (reading about an air raid)—"Women can endure pain better than men."

Mr Binks—"Who says that—a doctor or a shoemaker?"

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At the Theatres

VARIED FILMS ON OAK BAY SCREEN

Merle Oberon, Dennis Morgan and Rita Hayworth have the starring roles in "Affectionately Yours," the Warner Bros' picture which opens today at the Oak Bay Theatre. In supporting roles in this romantic comedy are Ralph Bellamy, George Tobias, James Gleason, Hattie McDaniel and Jerome Cowan. The second feature on the Oak Bay bill is the powerful melodrama "South of Suez," the picturization of the story by Sheridan Gibney. George Brent, Brenda Marshall and George Tobias have the leading roles supported by James Stephenson, Lee Patrick and Eric Blore.

ROMANTIC COMEDY NOW AT DOMINION

One of the finest comedy casts ever assembled in what Hollywood regards as one of the most gaily tender comedies of the season, opens today at the Dominion Theatre, where Columbia's "They All Kissed the Bride" co-stars Joan Crawford and Melvyn Douglas. Miss Crawford, forsaking her recent appearances in drama to revert to the type of comedy characterization which made her world-famous, also returns to dancing for the first time in years.

Miss Crawford appears as a "million-dollar-heiress," a career woman who goes on a romantic bender after one kiss from a man who knows how!

Douglas, of course, is the gentleman responsible for it all, a penniless lug who can and makes her like it!

Roland Young, Billie Burke and Allen Jenkins head the top-flight supporting cast.

ERROL FLYNN IN NEW ATLAS DRAMA

As timely as the headlines on the pages of this newspaper is the completely absorbing adventure film which opens today at the Atlas Theatre. Titled "Desperate Journey," it tells the story of five members of a British Flying Fortress crew who are shot down in Germany and their adventurous journey across Europe toward safety.

In the leading roles are Errol Flynn and Ronald Reagan, both of whom give excellent performances. The breeziness of Reagan combined with the dash of Errol Flynn lends the film a bristling quality that keeps one's avid interest throughout.

Raoul Walsh's direction has kept the story moving at a smart clip, and the script by Arthur T. Horman is brightly written and has the ring of authenticity throughout. Magnificent camera work has given the picture some of the most thrilling aerial warfare scenes ever shown.

CADET THEATRE One of the most dramatic scenes from "Mrs Miniver," M-G-M picture now showing at the Cadet Theatre and starring Greer Garson and Walter Pidgeon, takes place in the family air raid shelter. With Nazi bombs falling all around their home, the Minivers carry on bravely and calmly. They know that, despite the terrific bombardment they are withstanding, the time will come when they, the English, will wrest the initiative from the enemy and will emerge victorious. This timely and human story of a family facing the terrors of modern war was adapted from the popular Jan Struther novel "Mrs. Miniver."

CAPITOL THEATRE Brian Aherne is known. Aherne is known to most movie-goers, especially of the feminine gender, as one of the male actors who can always guarantee their hearts a flippety-flop. Aherne still gives out with this guarantee in Columbia's "My Sister Eileen," but for the first time on the screen handsome blonde Brian tempers his romantics with breezy, fast-talking nip-ups. Playing opposite Rosalind Russell, at the Capitol Theatre, with Janet Blair also starred, he even goes the peppery brunette actress one better in the art of acting wacky.

PLAZA THEATRE Veronica Lake becomes the mother of three children when she settles down to domesticity with Fredric March in "I Married a Witch," now on the screen of the Plaza Theatre. They're a girl and two boys. Veronica picked the girl herself—and for a very good reason. Ann Carter who plays the part has long, blonde, wavy hair, and wears it over one eye.

RIO THEATRE It is fortunate that George Montgomery is more rugged than his movie wardrobe. For his starring role in Zane Grey's "Riders of the Purple Sage," the 20th Century-Fox film now showing at the Rio Theatre, the ex-Montana cowboy was fitted with four pairs of trousers, six cowboy shirts and three ten-gallon hats. During two weeks of location work George wore out all but one pair of trousers as well as four shirts and a sombrero. Mary Howard, Robert Barrat, Lynne Roberts and Kane Richmond are featured.

YORK THEATRE Judy Garland currently co-starring with Mickey Rooney in the M-G-M musical, "Babes on Broadway," at the York Theatre, has a song to mark each great moment in her life. Each has a special significance. From the day Judy made her first appearance before the footlights carolling "Jingle Bells" songs have been her milestone. "My debut at the age of three," Judy says, "was amateur night at my father's theatre in Grand Rapids, Minnesota."

AMUSEMENTS

On the Screen

Atlas—Errol Flynn and Ronald Reagan in "Desperate Journey."

Cadet—"Mrs. Miniver," with Greer Garson and Walter Pidgeon.

Capitol—"My Sister Eileen," starring Rosalind Russell and Brian Aherne.

Dominion—Joan Crawford and Melvyn Douglas in "They All Kissed the Bride."

Oak Bay—Merle Oberon and Dennis Morgan in "Affectionately Yours."

Plaza—Frederic March and Veronica Lake in "I Married a Witch."

Rio—"Riders of the Purple Sage," starring Robert Montgomery and Mary Howard.

York—Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland in "Babes on Broadway."

PARK TO GROW WAR POTATOES

City Council Parks Committee Alarmed at Prospective Vegetable Shortage

"Alarming" prospects of a shortage of vegetables later in the year were thoroughly discussed by Aldermen D. D. McTavish, W. H. Davies and B. J. Gadsden during a meeting of the City Council parks committee yesterday afternoon with W. H. Warren, parks superintendent.

Mr. Warren was requested to plough a two-acre portion of Beacon Hill Park along Heywood Avenue opposite the end of Oliphant Street and make ready to plant potatoes in the Spring. He was also asked to survey other parks with a view to growing vegetables.

The committee also discussed ways and means of following advice of the Provincial Department of Agriculture that more poultry and cattle must be raised to relieve an impending shortage of meat. A report was received that the eleven sheep kept at Macdonald Park were thriving and also benefiting the turf.

Mr. Warren was asked by the committee to prepare plans and ascertain the cost of a memorial garden to be laid out in Beacon Hill Park in memory of citizens who have given their lives for their country.

After discussing hanging floral baskets for next Summer, the committee decided labor and gasoline for an attending truck would not be available. It was agreed to ask merchants and store proprietors if they would be prepared to administer water daily to 400 baskets to the business district.

MUNICIPALITIES WILL SUBMIT RESOLUTIONS TO CABINET TUESDAY

The executive of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities proposes to submit several resolutions when it meets the Provincial Cabinet on Tuesday morning. The meeting will be followed on Wednesday by a conference between members of the executive and the Provincial Postwar Rehabilitation Council.

Among resolutions sponsored by the municipalities are those requesting that the Government establish medical and dental clinics in areas where a shortage exists through enlistment of doctors and dentists in the active services; that the Government increase relief allowances to unemployable persons to amounts comparable with old age and mothers' pensions, that the Government assume costs of education, with the municipalities furnishing school buildings, grounds, janitor service, heat and light, that the old age pension be $1 a day, with persons eligible at the age of sixty-five, that the Government assume all losses sustained by municipalities on loans under the Better Housing Act.

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Seven Cases—Seven cases of chickenpox have been reported to the city health department since January 1. City health in general is considered good.

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1 BIRTHS

BARTLEY—To Lieutenant and Mrs. T. B. Bartley (nee Joyce M. Leonard), at Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary, on Saturday, January 2, 1943, a son.

FISHER—Born to Lieutenant and Mrs. R. M. Fisher (nee Doreen Hendley Weller), Port of Spain, Trinidad, B.W.I., January 6, 1943, a son.

GRAVES—Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Graves, 636 Niagara Street, at St. Joseph's Hospital, on December 26, 1942, a son.

4 DEATHS

MACKIE—At Royal Jubilee Hospital on January 6, 1943, Alexander Mackie, aged sixty-eight years. Born in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, and a resident of this city for thirty-five years. He was a member of the I.O.O.F. for over thirty years. Survived by three brothers and two sisters in Australia.

Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday at 2:30 p.m., Rev. James Hood officiating. Interment in Oakland Burial Park.

[illegible]—The death occurred at Royal Jubilee Hospital on Wednesday, January 6, 1943, of Roy [illegible], infant son of Captain and Mrs. Robert D. [illegible], Vancouver. He was born in Victoria seven months ago and is survived by his parents and one sister, Marilyn.

Private funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow afternoon at 2, Very Rev. S. H. Elliot, Dean of Columbia, officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

OSBON—Passed away suddenly on January 7, 1943, at the residence, 2206 Cook Street, Hannah Maria Osbon, beloved wife of Benjamin A. Osbon, chief engineer for the Canadian Pacific Railway for forty-four years, now on Princess Elizabeth, aged sixty-four, born in West Hartlepool, England, and had lived in Victoria for the last thirty-eight years. Besides her husband she leaves one sister, Mrs. W. B. Lyon, in British Columbia, and one brother, Charles Cook, in Kent, England.

Funeral service in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday at 3 p.m. Cremation at Royal Oak.

McMILLAR—There passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital Wednesday, January 6, Mrs. Annie McMillan, at the age of eighty years. The late Mrs. McMillan was born in Argyllshire, Scotland, and had been a resident of this district for the last thirty-two years. She is survived by eight sons, Donald, Duncan, James, John, Alex, Charles, Hector and Archie McMillan; two daughters, Mrs. Joseph Huber and Mrs. R. Reid; also forty-two grandchildren and twenty-four great-grandchildren.

Private funeral services will be held in the chapel of Sands Mortuary Limited Saturday, January 9, 1943, at 3 o'clock. Rev. T. H. McAllister will officiate, after which interment will take place in the Royal Oak Burial Park. (Kindly omit flowers.)

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40X MISCELLANEOUS

ALL MAKES OF VACUUM CLEANERS cleaned and repaired. Taylor & Co., 836 Fort Street.

A DOUBLE LOAD CINDERS, $7; CLAY soil, rock, manure. R. Vye, G 3664.

40 FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

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42 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

42A POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

FOR SALE — NEW HAMPSHIRE PULlets. Off Douglas, 782 Ralph Street.

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WANTED—BOARD AND ROOM IN OAK Bay for mother with child at kindergarten. E 3839.

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49 ROOMS TO RENT

49A FURNISHED

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50A FURNISHED

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51 HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

51B UNFURNISHED

LARGE, BRIGHT FRONT ROOM, BATHroom floor. Adults only. G 7653.

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57 WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES

57A FURNISHED

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1937	FORD TUDOR	$595
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1939	FORD DE LUXE FORDOR	$825
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ATTRACTIVE NEW FOUR-ROOM stucco bungalow in View Royal. Has full basement. Garage. Suburban surroundings. Pretty treed lot with rock garden, lawn and shrubbery. Value $4,000—Would consider six-room bungalow in city, or Saanich, up to value.

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A BUNGALOW, FOUR ROOMS AND bathroom, garage, fireplace, pantry, etc. Low taxes, immediate possession, quiet location, situated in a lovely garden. Price, $1,900. Terms. Half cash, balance monthly.

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LAND REGISTRY ACT
Section 160

IN THE MATTER OF AMENDED LOT 3 OF SECTION 39, VICTORIA DISTRICT, PLAN 389

PROOF having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 8283-I to the above-mentioned land, in the name of Bruce Montgomery and bearing date the 22nd day of October, 1920, I hereby give notice of my intention, at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof, to issue in the name of the said Bruce Montgomery a Provisional Certificate of Indefeasible Title in lieu of such lost Certificate. Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title are requested to communicate with the undersigned.

Dated this 31st day of December, 1942, at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia.

H. C. HEMBROW
Deputy Registrar,
Victoria Land Registration District.

WESTERN AIR COMMAND
ROYAL CANADIAN AIR FORCE
RECOVERY OF TORPEDO

A reward, as provided by Article 227 P.R. and K.R. (R.C.A.F.) will be paid to the person or persons locating one 18-inch Mark A torpedo which was lost on January 9, 1943, in position 48 degrees 25 minutes north, 123 degrees 21 minutes west. Discovery should be reported to nearest R.C.A.F. station or unit, or the R.C. Provincial Police, or any other police force, stating the location, state of tide and date.

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SIX ROOMS ALL ON ONE FLOOR
RECENTLY CONSTRUCTED—A beautiful bungalow of six lovely rooms. Living-room, dining-room, kitchen and three fine bedrooms. A perfect bathroom with linen closet. Cement basement, furnace, garage. An excellent location within easy walk of Monterey School and transportation. Price **$6800**

OAK BAY
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ONLY used in a while do we have a house for sale in this very popular area. A very attractive bungalow of five rooms and an unfinished attic. Living-room, dining-room, kitchen and two bedrooms. Close to Oak Bay beach, bus and street car. See this today. It will not be on the market long. Price very low. Price **$4500**

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APPROXIMATELY 300 FEET SEAFRONTAGE
Six ACRES LANDSCAPED GROUNDS with private sandy beach, very secluded and situated in premier residential district, with good transportation, 3½ miles from centre of city.
The residence is of new stucco and steel girdered constructed semi-bungalow containing beautiful entrance hall, living-room 28 x 18 ft. overlooking sea, dining-room and den with open fireplaces, domestic offices, three large bedrooms, two up-to-the-minute bathrooms with extra showers, dressing-room, maid's bedroom and bathroom. Hardwood floors throughout, plate-glass windows on all seafront windows. Upstairs unfinished, but with all plumbing and heating connections in place. Room for four nice bedrooms and extra bathrooms.
Basement partitioned for tornage room, fuel rooms, cloakroom and double garage.
In fact, one of the choicest properties in this favored district of fine residences. EXCLUSIVE LISTING. Owner leaving, offers this very valuable property for **$35,000**

OAK BAY
OVERLOOKING PARK, ON TRANSPORTATION. Superior bungalow. Six well-arranged rooms, two three-piece tiled bathrooms. Full basement, well-kept garden. Possession arranged. Southerly exposure. Taxes $68. Owner will sacrifice. Price **$5750**

NOW VACANT
OAK BAY, HALF-BLOCK FROM CAR—Substantial seven-room residence, in good condition. Large living-room, three bedrooms. Basement, furnace and large lot. On easy terms **$3500**

LAND
THREE ACRES SEAFRONT — PROTECTED beach, splendid soil, a regular garden on good motor road. **$1500**

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VICTORIA REALTY
1320 GOVERNMENT STREET
Phone E 7514

LAKE HILL—White cedar siding bungalow of five rooms. Fireplace. Charming Pembroke bathroom, tiled sink, hardwood floor. Basement, furnace, and completely modern. Two extra lots and good buying at **$4000**

OAKLANDS—Well-built cosy bungalow of four rooms. Living-room with fireplace, two bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, kitchen, separate pantry, laundry room, sun porch. Full 8 cement, furnace and separate garage. Very good garden. Owner occupied. Possession February 1. Priced at **$2650**

HOME AND BUSINESS—Central location, ten minutes' walking distance from city. Residence of five rooms, three down with confectionery store. Grocery shop well stock occupied and operated by owner. Sustains two-room suite rented at $20 per month. A comfortable home with good revenue. Terms, $1,150 down. Balance $20 per month at **$2650**

Between Burnside Road and the Gorge, with easy good bus service to city. Comfortable home of five rooms with full high basement and furnace. In good condition inside and out. This is a gardener's paradise, with three well-cared-for lots, full of bulbs and flowers. Two glass houses. Must be sold. Make us an offer close to **$2500**

NIGHT PHONES G 0011, G 7026

OAKLANDS
Lovely five-room cedar-siding bungalow, close to transportation and schools; good condition. Light floors. Garage.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
$4000

Built on good high location with cheap taxes. Cement basement, furnace, five air furnace, kitchen, bathroom (living-room, living-room with fireplace and two bedrooms.

JAMES BAY ELEVEN ROOMS
Excellent location and only about twelve minutes to the city

ROOMING HOUSE
Kitchen, pantry, utility room, large living-room and dining-room with fireplaces. Upstairs, six bedrooms and bathroom. One on property.

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1116 BROAD STREET — PHONE G 7171

OAK BAY
This most attractive architect-built residence is in high location with secluded garden. It contains entrance hall, washroom and toilet, a beautiful living-room, good-sized dining-room, a den with fireplace, convenient kitchen, private stairway to maid's room with washroom. Upstairs, three large bedrooms with hot and cold water and tiled bathroom. Automatic air-conditioned heating plant. This house has a lovely setting in a district of large homes and has many special features. Early possession. Exclusively listed with us at one other firm. Price **$10,500**

High location in the Uplands district, a semi-bungalow with two bedrooms down and three-piece tiled bathroom, and two bedrooms up with three-piece tiled bathroom. All mahogany doors and trim, hardwood flooring in every room. Full cement basement. Hot water heating. 75-foot lot. Price **$6800**

Also below Uplands brand-new stucco bungalow, six rooms, all on one floor. Lovely large living-room. Hardwood floors. Cement basement. Full cement basement. Laundry room. Oil heating off the kitchen. Price **$6500**

Gillespie, Hart & Co. LIMITED
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Splendid Chance FOR Someone
$2850

Eight-room home all in nice condition, located just off the Gorge Road. Three-room suite upstairs with separate entrance has been rented for three years at $25 per month. Downstairs there is a five-room suite. Living-room, dining-room, kitchen, two bedrooms, three-piece bath. Now you rooms vacated and drew your rent and either live in the lower suite or let it and buy. Just a splendid home as to investment for someone as this property would rent for $65 per month. House has full cement basement and furnace. Garage in rear. Double garage on property. Terms, half cash balance arranged.

Saanich Realty COMPANY
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DUPLEX
Very good duplex dwelling, nicely located in the highest part of the city. Top suite rented for $35 per month. Downstairs occupied by owner who will give possession in thirty days. Exceptionally good value for **$4000**

Exclusive Listing
Arthur E. Haynes LIMITED
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RURAL
3 Miles Out on Main Road
Nearly an acre of land, partly rocky, with small orchard and shrubbery. Dwelling has large living-room (open fireplace), two bedrooms, bathroom and kitchen with separate pantry, also sun-room, garage and basement. A nice home with all city conveniences and beautifully secluded and yet is in a quiet location. Well worth **$3000**

ALSO
LIGHTON AVENUE LOT
Good buy **$250**

J. C. BRIDGMAN
601 BROUGHTON ST. — PHONE E 3531

GORGE
CUCLOE — Owner living in one suite and immediate occupancy guaranteed. This property is worth investigating on terms of $1,000 cash price **$4200**

KING REALTY
115 VIEW STREET — PHONE E 2131
Freelance, E 7858; E 7537, E 1041

OAK BAY
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
Terms $1,000 down balance monthly. This house has eight rooms, double lot with double garage. Close to bus, sea and Monterey School. $2,000 has been spent on complete renovation. Price **$5500**

EXCLUSIVE AGENTS
WISE & CO., LTD.
100 PEMBERTON BLDG.

OPPORTUNITY!
NEAR THE SEA with good transportation. Ten acres in grass, with large shade trees. Substantial dwelling in good shape with extra toilet. Revenue property. Splendid chance for poultry. Price **$3500**

H. W. Miller & Co.
1419 Broad St. — Phone G 4444

HIGH LOCATION
Five-room home, Hillside district. A very good property with no repairs needed. All rooms of good size. Two sets of plumbing. Cement basement, furnace, garage. Price **$2900**

STUCCO DUPLEX
Built in 1941. Rental $55 per month. A good investment. Priced at **$6000**

DON'T PAY RENT
IF YOU CAN BUY
FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, owner-occupied. Early possession. The bungalow is clean as a pin and no repairs needed. Full cement basement, hot air furnace and garage. Taxes $31. Terms arranged. Price **$3150**
Kindly Ask for MR. FIELDS

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CLOSE IN ACREAGE
$3250—Very attractive cedar-sided five-room bungalow containing a large living-room with open fireplace, two bedrooms, modern bathroom, kitchen and dinette. No basement. Large chicken house for 350 birds. Approximately one acre lot with very best of soil. Within three-mile circle and in choice district.

WALKING DISTANCE
EARLY POSSESSION
$3250 — ON TERMS — A good family home containing seven rooms, all in excellent condition. Part cement basement with furnace. Separate garage. Large treed lot.

Alex. G. Hill & Co.
116 CENTRAL BLDG. — PHONE G 8121
Evenings E 7262

GENUINE BARGAINS
IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
$4700—NORTH QUADRA—SIX-three bedrooms, large living-room, one hardwood floors. Good garden. New stucco.
$5250—STUCCO HOME, SIX rooms, Oak Bay floors throughout, basement, automatic furnace, superior lot.
$1750—NEAT THREE-ROOM bungalow with three-piece bathroom, good lot. Terms.

E. E. HEATH
900 YATES — PHONE G 6610
Night Phones: E 0773, B 1413

ESQUIMALT
Colville Road, very convenient to shipyard. Semi-bungalow of seven rooms. Full cement basement, furnace, laundry tubs. Comfortable living-room with open fireplace, bright kitchen, dining-room, large front bedroom, bathroom and separate toilet. Upstairs two good-size bedrooms, also large room for a housekeeping with wash basin and stove-pipe hole. The upstairs could be rented as a SELF-ONE AND A HALF LOTS. GOOD FOR—Taxes $96. Garage. Going for **$2750**

HIGH GROUND
Easy walking distance; beautifully located amidst oak trees. Charming semi-bungalow, five rooms; four bedrooms and two bathrooms. Oak floors. Hot water heated. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. Price **$5000**

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
Very well built and spacious five-room bungalow with full basement, furnace and garage. Nearly one combination gas and coal stove, with some other furniture, can be had at a reasonable valuation. OWNER OCCUPIED. Situated Esquimalt. Good central district. Cash talks, make us an offer. Priced reasonably at **$2750**

THE B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY LTD.
Member Victoria Real Estate Exchange
922 Government St. — G 8115-6

MOVE IN NOW
Here is a good family home of seven well-arranged rooms on a large lot. In Fairfield district, close to sea and transportation. A good buy for someone at only **$3500**

KER and STEPHENSON LTD.
1121 Government St. — Phone G 0127

RANDALL'S

SAANICH
Modern bungalow of five rooms with basement, furnace and garage. Nice garden, few fruit trees. Taxes $18. Early possession **$2500**

VACANT
Close in. Pandora Avenue, seven-room family home. Terms **$2200**

Five large rooms, all in good condition. Close to transportation. Good garden. Full price, monthly payments. Full price **$1850**

Close to schools and near transportation. Handy six-room bungalow. Can be purchased on easy terms **$1650**

George Randall
1300 DOUGLAS ST. — PHONE G 4040

OAK BAY
Brightness is the keynote of all the rooms in this attractive new bungalow located on a fine paved street in an excellent location. There is a large living-room, dining-room, a smart kitchen and three good-sized bedrooms all on one floor. A full cement basement with laundry tubs and a hot air heating system. We can confidently say that this house is built with the best of workmanship and materials.
The lot being 60 x 120 in extent gives ample scope for gardening. Priced at **$6500**
Terms can be arranged

MARA, BATE & CO., LTD.
610 Fort Street — Phone E 7174

HERE WE ARE
A ROOMING HOUSE — Close in on good street, with seven single suites, plus seven three-room suite, all well furnished. Clean as a new pin throughout. Gas meters separate. A going concern with a really good revenue. Price on terms **$4500**

SWINERTON & CO. LTD. — Estd. 1890
620 Broughton Street — Phone E 5022

OAK BAY
Well-built house of seven rooms. Four good bedrooms and bath upstairs. Living-room, dining-room, kitchen and den downstairs. Full basement and furnace. Large lot. Good district. Would make a good doctor's residence. **$3200**

Van Der Vliet, Cabelda & May, Ltd.
Real Estate, Insurance and Investments
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IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
Two four-room suites. Upper suite now rented for $35 per month, unfurnished. Two separate three-piece bathrooms. Also two separate garages. Full basement and oil furnace. Near bus to city. Offers. Close to sea. **$3400**
Money to Loan on First Mortgages

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FOR RESULTS
LIST YOUR PROPERTY WITH
Saanich Realty
1613 DOUGLAS STREET
Or Just Phone G 0001

DON'T LET THIS ONE GO!
Residence of nine rooms, five rooms down four up. This home has recently been completely redecorated inside and out. New Pembroke bathroom with shower. Dutch kitchen with new double drainboard sink, new copper pipe plumbing, light floors in living-room and dining-room, fireplace, full basement with extra toilet and laundry tubs, furnace heat to every room. Two lots. Separate garage. In "better than new" condition. Bright, clean and in every way desirable. Less than three-quarters mile from City Hall, with street car available. Has great possibilities as a guest house. Price includes inlaid linoleum, blinds and electric refrigerator. Terms, half cash. Price **$3600**
PHONE G 7811 OR E 7838 FOR APPOINTMENT

BEACH DRIVE
Nicely home with sea view containing downstairs, spacious living-room, dining-room, den, kitchen and reception hall. Upstairs, three lovely bedrooms, sun porch, tiled bathroom. Here is an ideal opportunity to buy large garage and all the other essentials that go to make a comfortable home. Priced to sell **$5500**
Exclusive
Heisterman, Forman & CO.
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Also Morning Sale at 10:30
Of Vegetables, Poultry, including good Pullets, etc.

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TARPAULINS
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THIEF IN THE SADDLE

By STEPHEN PAYNE

CHAPTER LIV

This ride tonight was one Brenda Walsh would long remember—if she continued to live. She was riding beside a master cow thief, who although usually reticent, had chosen to talk with her, the girl he held as a hostage and of whom he had made such diabolic use this very night. She rode with a cold-blooded killer, who for some reason had once made the mistake of sending a man to prison. And that one mistake had cost Drew his clean-up in Idaho—a clean-up of half a million dollars.

Abruptly Storm Drew broke his silence. "Brenda Walsh, you're a woman, so maybe you can tell me why it is a man will make a darn fool of himself about one certain woman?"

The question startled Brenda. She could not imagine this man ever making a fool of himself over any woman. Still, there was Jessie. Jessie represented the one soft spot in Storm Drew's make-up. If he were capable of love, Drew loved the little sandy-haired girl.

"That's Nature," she answered. "And it works the same both ways. Meaning the same with both sexes."

"Nature? Well, I suppose so."

The silence lengthened until Brenda probed with a question. "This has something to do with the great mistake you once made?"

"I'll tell you this much, Miss Walsh. I—uh—um—A certain man believed he had made himself into cold, efficient, emotionless machine. But when he met one particular woman he found his emotions were still alive in him."

"Is that all you're going to tell me? You haven't answered my question."

"Well then, it—this weakness—the man discovered in himself did have something—everything—to do with the mistake he made. The mistake which eventually cost him a half million-dollar clean-up."

"Oh! Getting back to that again. It seems to me you are going to clean up pretty nicely anyhow. How much?"

"How much? We-ll, I sacrificed the B X Bar and the Parvin ranches for the sake of a cash sale. Twenty thousand for the B X Bar, fifteen for the Triangle Two Hanging Circles. One hundred-odd horses which I can sell, and still have plenty to mount all my helpers, will bring five thousand more."

"That's forty thousand dollars," exclaimed Brenda. The figure almost took her breath away, for to her a thousand dollars had been a veritable fortune. "What do you expect to get for the cattle?"

"Roughly, sixty thousand dollars. After I pay the boys—I've always shot square with my men and this kept their loyalty—I'll still have enough jack for a fresh start."

"I should think so! . . . Approximately half of this herd are in the Triangle Two Hanging Circles iron?"

"That's right, Miss Walsh. Ho-ha! If Milt Parvin had had his way and had won this fight, he'd have turned over to your family——."

"That's what I'm trying to figure out. How great is our loss?"

"Reckoned in dollars and cents for the Parvin ranch, the cattle and the horses, from forty-five to forty-seven or eight thousand bucks. Not bad?"

"It sort of stuns me. That would have put Mother on easy street, and Ted and—I mustn't think of what might have been or I'll go to pieces . . . I suppose the B X Bar herd was stolen, too, Mr. Thief?"

"It so happens the original stock of this B X Bar herd were the only cattle I didn't steal. At least, not outright."

"Not outright? How do you mean?"

"I trailed that herd, only a couple of hundred head, from Montana to this part of the country. They belonged to my wife. The brand was D V. But she was a trusting woman and offered no objections to my recording the B X Bar brand in my new name."

"In your new name?"

"Yes, the new name of Storm Drew. It took some clever lying to persuade my wife that this was all right and that she must be Mrs. Drew . . . Well, in this present herd not one of the original D V cows is left. All have been shipped to market or have died natural deaths."

"So it would be impossible to prove that these B X Bar cattle were once the D V herd and that all of them now wearing the B X Bar iron are descendants of the original D V cows?"

"Exactly. You're a keen cow woman, Miss Walsh. I stocked the B X Bar with my wife's cattle as well as with her horses. They have increased nicely, improving in quality for all these years."

"And where did your wife get this stock?" Brenda asked.

"Does that matter?"

"I was just curious," the girl answered lightly. However, she was turning something over in her mind which seemed to her of tremendous significance. "Of course," she continued, "her first husband might have put all of his property in his wife's name when he was sentenced to the penitentiary."

(To Be Continued)

What Today Means

CAPRICORN

If January 8 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., from 3 to 5 p.m. and from 8 to 11 p.m. The danger periods will be from 8 to 11 a.m., from 7 to 9 p.m. and from 11 p.m. until midnight.

If your absent-mindedness affected you only it might not be so bad, but on this date the chances are that other people will be the sufferers from it—unless you keep mentally alert and do not permit yourself to indulge in it. Do not fail to display warmth of feeling when there is occasion for it if you do not want to be judged as being devoid of sentiment. Existing conditions make it advisable for many people to remember that "while there's life there's hope" and that with unlimited faith many persons will become convinced that the days of miracles have not passed. It is important for you to be thoroughly consistent in any stand you take on this day for, should you, by words or actions, appear to be self-contradictory you may hear some very uncomplimentary opinions expressed regarding your attitude. Married and engaged couples and those who are victims of Cupid's darts should remember that this is a time during which "The vocation of every man and woman is to serve other people," if it is their desire to help preserve the Canadian way of life.

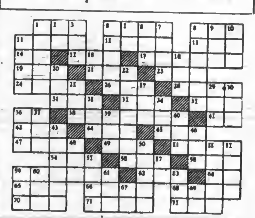
If you are a woman and January 8 is your birthday you probably consider yourself thoroughly capable of paddling your own canoe and you are apt to resent any suggestion as to how you should do it. You may have an extreme dislike for the drudgery of household responsibilities but you also may have a fondness of home life and the satisfaction afforded by planning its comforts and cultural advantages. A tendency to offer advice may require curbing if you have the slightest suspicion that it is more irritating than helpful. As a trained nurse, news reporter, broker, demonstrator, fiction writer, librarian, secretary, business manager, lawyer, doctor, artist, singer, musician, or in some activity that is helpful to the war effort, you ought to make an enviable record and reputation. Co-operation, sympathy, loyalty and devotion should make your married life replete with happiness.

The child born on January 8 is apt to develop into a remarkably versatile youngster, especially gifted when it comes to doing work of an artistic nature. A quick temper may be responsible for sudden flare-ups that quickly pass and seldom are remembered. This youngster's sense of responsibility probably will be recognized and in all likelihood it will ultimately help him to attain a position of great importance.

(The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

We are actors in a new era in which we can have no truck with the mentality of the past.—Francisco Franco

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

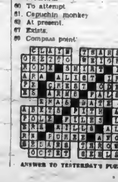


ACROSS

1. Animal's foot
4. To reach across
8. Stinging insect
11. Opening in fence
12. To impart character to
13. Period of time
14. Three-toed sloth.
15. Click beetle
17. Clothes presser
19. Wrath
21. To pilfer.
23. Land measure
24. Former Russian ruler
26. Prefix: before.
28. Roman emperor.
31. Portuguese money of account.
33. Native metal.
35. Uncooked
36. Note of scale
38. Spurts
41. Symbol for tellurium
42. Finnish seaport.
44. To lubricate
45. Idle chatter.
47. Sea gull.
49. Human beings
51. Nobleman.
54. Negative.
56. Lair
58. Tiny
59. Looks fixedly.
62. Vast age
64. Indian mulberry
65. Skill
66. Predatory incursion
68. Formerly
70. To change color of
71. To mourn the loss of
72. Damp.

DOWN

1. Couples
2. Preposition.
3. To marry.
4. To sharpen
5. River in Italy
6. Insect.
7. To approach
8. Having less hair.
9. The self
10. Ever (contr.)
11. Manner of walking
16. Conjunction
18. Electrified particle.
20. Organ of hearing
22. Cooked over hot coals
25. Things in law
27. Sea eagle
29. Rodent
30. To be in debt
32. Samoan mudworm
34. To instigate
36. Buddhist pillar
37. Man's nickname
39. Border.
40. East Indian timber tree
43. Adorned in excess.
46. To nod.
48. Correlative of neither
50. Wants.
52. To respond to a stimulus
53. To strike out
55. To name
57. Not at all.
59. Mournful
60. To attempt
61. Capuchin monkey
63. At present.
67. Exists.
69. Compass point



ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Lower Trend On Wall Street

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—The general direction of the stock market was downward during the greater part of today's proceedings, but a last-minute recovery in utilities helped steady trends.

Early apathy was blamed mainly on the desire of the financial sector to await the President's address to Congress. While there were scattered upturns, when the message was delivered after midday, comebacks were limited and declines of fractions to two or more points were plentiful at the close.

The Associated Press average of sixty stocks was unchanged at 41.7, owing to a late upturn in the utility composite. One special offering of 60,000 Canadian Pacific common at 5 3-4 was quickly oversubscribed by more than 100 per cent. Transfers of 710,770 shares compared with 554,400 yesterday.

Edging into new high ground for 1942-43 were United Gas Improvement, United Corporation preferred, General Gas & Electric "A," Houston Oil and Virginia-Carolina Chemical common and preferred. Other gainers included U.S. Steel, Chrysler, General Motors, United Aircraft, Santa Fe and Anaconda.

On the losing end were Loew's, Paramount, Warner Bros., Twentieth Century-Fox, N.Y. Central, Southern Pacific, Great Northern, Glenn Martin and Owens-Illinois.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

Dow Jones averages closed as follows:

Thirty industrials 116.37, off .29.
Twenty rails 28.04, off .16.
Fifteen utilities 15.16, up .39.
Total sales 710,770.

(H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Close
Allied Chemicals	146½
American Can	79
American Tobacco	45½
American Smelter	37½
American Tel. & Tel.	131
Anaconda Copper	25
Atchison Topeka	43½
B. & O. Railway	3
Bendix Aviation	28
Bell Steel	28
Boeing Aircraft	13½
Borden	22
Borg Warner	27
C. P. R.	6⅛
Cerro de Pasco	34
C. & O. Railway	35
Chrysler	62
Con. Edison	15
Cont. Can	30
Crucible Steel	32½
Curtiss-Wright	7¼
Douglas Aircraft	56½
Dupont	136
Eastman Kodak	147½
General Electric	31½
General Motors	46
Granby Copper	4½
Great Northern	23
Intl. Harvester	58
Intl. T. & T.	6
Intl. Nickel	28½
Kennecott Copper	33
Montgomery Ward	35
Nash Kelvinator	6
New York Central	10
Penn. Railway	23½
Phillips Pete.	43½
Radio	5
Republic Steel	14
Reynolds Tobacco	23
Standard Oil N.J.	47
Swift Armour	60
Studebaker	5
Texas Corpn.	42
Texas Gulf	37½
Union Carbide	80
Union Pacific	83
United Aircraft	22½
U.S. Rubber	27⅛
U.S. Steel	48
Westinghouse Electric	81
Western Union	30
Woolworth	31
Yellow Cab	10

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—Quotations in cents.

Official Canadian Control Board rates for United States dollars: Buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent.

Canadian dollar in New York open market 11 3-16 per cent discount or 88.81¼ United States cents.

Argentina—Official 29.77, free 23.57. Brazil—Official 6.05, free 5.20. Mexico—20.60.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 7 (AP).—Quotations in dollars. Official (Bankers Foreign Exchange Committee rates) buying 4.02, selling 4.04, open market, cables 4.04.

(Rates in spot cables, unless otherwise indicated.)

Toronto Stocks

MINING SECTION

(Island Investment Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Aunor	2 31	2 33
Broulan	43	47
Base Metals	06½	06½
Beattie	73	74
Bralorne	7 35	7 45
Buffalo Ankerite	1 63	1 70
Canadian Malartic	45	48
Central Patricia	1 05	1 08
Chesterville	83	73
Dome	19 50	20 00
East Malartic	1 20	1 21
Eldorado	1 12	1 18
Falconbridge	3 20	3 25
God's Lake	13½	14
Gunnar Gold	13	13
Hard Rock	58	63
Hollinger	2 50	0 70
Home Oil	2 01	2 10
Hosey	17	20
Hudson Bay M. & S.	27 60	30 00
Kirkland Lake	57	60
Kerr Addison	4 85	4 90
Lake Shore	10 37	10 75
Leitch Gold	60	67
Little Long Lac	92	95
McIntyre	47 37	47 75
Macassa	2 40	2 44
McKenzie Red Lake	93	95
McLeod Cockshutt	1 03	1 07
Jason	13	15
Malartic Gold	1 16	1 16
Mone 3	30	30
Noranda	40 62	41 00
O'Brien	63	65
Pamour	80	84
Paymaster	21	22
Pend Oreille	1 24	1 30
Perron Gold	80	90
Pickle Crow	1 78	1 80
Pioneer	1 70	1 75
Premier	60	65
Preston East Dome	1 78	1 80
San Antonio	1 03	1 34
Sherritt-Gordon	70	78
Sigma	5 10	
Siscoe	40	42
Sladen Malartic	35	38
Sudbury Basin	1 48	1 36
Sullivan	80	71
Steep Rock	1 73	1 78
Sylvanite	1 45	1 50
Teck Hughes	1 83	1 90
Toburn	70	85
Uchi Lake	07	08
Upper Canada	1 06	1 10
Ventures	4 40	4 50
Waite Amulet	7 60	8 70
Wright-Hargreaves	2 63	2 70

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

(Island Investment Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	142½	
Brazilian Traction	14⅜	12
Brewing Corpn.	1 25	1 45
B.A. Oil	17½	18
B.C. Power A	23½	38
Building Products	14½	15
Burlington Steel		8
Canada Cement	5⅝	5⅞
Canada Malting	36½	37
Can. Car & Foundry	7⅝	8
Can. Industrial Alcohol "A"	3½	4
Canadian Pacific	6½	6¾
Cockshutt Plow	6½	6½
Distillers-Seagrams	25	28
Dominion Bridge	25	25½
Dominion Steel & Coal	8	8½
Ford of Canada	19⅛	20
Gatineau Power	7⅛	
General Steelwares	8	6½
Hiram Walker	40	46½
Imperial Oil	13	13
Imperial Tobacco	11½	11¾
Intl. Nickel	33	33½
Intl. Pete	17⅜	17⅝
Lake of the Woods	18	36
Laura Secord	8⅞	9½
Massey-Harris	4⅝	5⅛
McColl-Frontenac	6⅛	6½
Montreal Power	25½	
National Breweries	36	37
National Steel Car	32½	70
Ogilvie	22¼	23
Page Hersey	90½	92
Power Corpn.	5½	6
Shawinigan	17⅜	17½
Steel of Canada	60	60½
Steel of Canada, Pfd.	66½	70

Banks

	Bid	Asked
Canadian Bank of Commerce	130	180
Dominion Bank	143	
Imperial Bank	147	160
Bank of Montreal	148	
Bank of Nova Scotia	223	
Royal Bank	137	
Bank of Toronto	235	260

Averages

Industrials 100.11, up .24
Golds 72.00, up .03
Metals 64.85, up .40
Oils 18.29, up .06
Sales 228,000

VANCOUVER STOCKS

VANCOUVER, Jan. 7 (CP).—Quiet hung over the Vancouver Stock Exchange today but golds and oils looked optimistic. Trading was light at 16,000 shares.

Island Mountain climbed 3 to 70 and Pioneer 5 to 1.30. Oils showed slighter increases. South End Pete moved a fraction to 4 1-4 and United made 6 1-2, up 1 3-4.

(Mess, Bole & Co. Ltd.)

OILS

	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	03½	03¾
Anglo-Canadian	46	
A.P. Con.	08	
British Dominion		32
C. & E. Corp.	1 17	1 20
Calmont	21	24
Commoil	13	
Commonwealth	20	23
Dalhousie	25	
Davies Pete	09	
Eastcrest	04	04
Foothills	75	
Highwood Sarcee	10	
Home Oil	2 05	2 15
Madison	01	
Mercury	03½	06
McDougall Segur	05	06
Mill City	05	
Model	17	22
Mar-Jon	01½	03
Okalta	06	
Royalite	30	
Pacalta	04½	04½
Pacific Pete	21	24
Royal Canadian	03	04
Royalite	30	
United Oil	05½	4
Vanalta	05	
Vulcan	33	35

MINES

	Bid	Asked
Bayonne Cons.	05	06
Bralorne	7 30	7 48
Cariboo Gold	83	
Dalconda	04½	05
Gold Belt	4	10
Grandview	11	
Grull Wihksne	03½	05
Hedley	06	40
Island Mountain	67	
Kootenay Belle	19	31
Pacific Nickel	11	13
Pend Oreille	1 19	
Pioneer	1	1 30
Premier Border	01	01½
Premier	61	66
Privateer	31	35
Quatsino Copper	02	03½
Reeves McDonald	23	
Reno	07	
Sheep Creek	28	36
Silbak Premier	60	
Surf Inlet	07	
Taylor Bridge	02	04
Whitewater		
Wellington	01	03

MISCELLANEOUS

	Bid	Asked
Capitol Estates	1 10	
Coast Breweries	1 12	1 13
United Distillers	1 23	

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

			Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	5	1943	102 25	103 25
	4	1957	104 75	105 75
	4	1945	101 50	102 50
	4	1940	107 25	108 25
	3	1959	102 25	103 25
	4½	1942	105 50	106 50
	4	1950	108 00	109 00
	4½	1959	109 25	110 25
	3	1955	99 25	100 25
	3½	1960	101 00	102 00
	3½	Perp.	94 00	95 00
	3½	1949	102 00	103 50
	3½	1951	101 50	102 50
	3	1950	99 00	100 00
1st War Loan	3½	1952	102 25	103 25
2nd War Loan	3	1952	99 50	100 50
1st Victory Ln.	3	1951	100 50	101 50
2nd Victory Ln.	3	1954	99 50	100 50
3rd Victory Ln.	3	1956	99 25	100 25

DOMINION GUARANTEES

			Bid	Asked
Can. Nat. Rly.	5	1954	118 75	121 75
	4	1957	131 50	137 00
	4½	1955	122 50	123 50
July	5	1969	110 00	112 00
Oct.	5	1969	122 75	123 75
	5	1956	117 75	118 75
	3	1955	99 00	100 00
	3	1961	101 50	102 50
	3	1959	99 50	100 50
	3	1950	99 75	100 00
Grand Trunk	3	1962	103 30	104 50
	4	1963	113 25	114 75

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG GRAIN

(H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	92	92	92	91½
Barley—				
May	63	63	62½	63
July	64½			64½
Oats—				
May	49	49	49	49
July	49	49	49	48½
Rye—				
May	86	86	85	86
July				86⅛

Cash Grain

	Close
Wheat—	
No. 1 Northern	90½
No. 2 Northern	87
No. 3 Northern	82
Track	90½
Oats—	
No. 2 C.W.	47½
Track	47½
Barley—	
No. 3 C.W.	59
Track	59
Rye—	
No. 2 C.W.	84
Track	83½

CHICAGO GRAIN

(H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	140½	141½	139½	140½
July	140⅝	141½	139⅝	141
Sept.	140½	142½	140½	142
Corn—				
May	98	97½	98	97½
July	98	98	98	98
Sept.	97½	99	97½	98½
Oats—				
May	55	56½	56	56½
July	54½	55	55	55
Sept.	55	56½	55½	56
Rye—				
May	76½	78½	76½	77½
July	79½	80	79	80½
Sept.	81	82	81	82

Montreal Stocks

(James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi Power & Paper	65	65
Alberta Pacific Grain	3	3
Associated Breweries	15	
Bank of Montreal	146	
Bank of Nova Scotia	235	
Bank of Toronto	231	250
Bathurst Paper "A"	13	14½
B.C. Power "A"	22½	25
Bell Telephone	142	
Brazilian	14½	
B.A. Oil	17½	18
B.C. Packers	17½	18
Building Products	14½	
Canada Cement	5½	
Canada Malting	36½	
Can. Steamships	9	
Can. Steamships, Pfd.	31½	31½
Canadian Bank of Commerce	128	130
Canadian Breweries, Pfd.	135	143
Canadian Bronze	32	33
Can. Car & Foundry	7½	8
Can. Car & Foundry, Pfd.	27	28½
Canadian Celanese	27½	27½
Canadian Celanese, Pfd.	132	135
Can. Industrial Alcohol	3½	4
C.P.R.	6½	6½
Cockshutt Plow	6⅝	6¾
Cons. Bakeries	6½	10
Distillers-Seagrams	25	26
Dominion Bank	143	
Dominion Bridge	25	25
Dominion Glass	11	132
Dominion Steel & Coal	8	8
Dominion Stores	5	6
Dominion Tar & Chemical	6½	
Fanny Farmer	21	22
Fleet Aircraft	3½	3¾
Ford of Canada "A"	19½	20
Gatineau Power Co.	7⅝	
General Steelwares	6	6½
Goodyear Tire	62	66
Gypsum Lime & Alabastine	3½	3½
Hamilton Bridge	4½	5
Howard Smith Paper	12½	13
Imperial Bank of Canada	137	160
Imperial Oil	13	12½
Intl. Nickel	33	33
Intl. Pete	17½	17
Intl. Utilities "A"	3	
Lake of the Woods Milling	18	20
Loblaw Groceteria "A"	21	23
Massey-Harris, Com.	5½	5
Massey-Harris, Pfd.	36	16
McColl-Frontenac Oil	6	6½
Montreal Power	25½	
Moore Corpn.	44	45
National Breweries	32	37
National Steel Car	38	39
Ogilvie Flour Mills	22½	23
Page-Hersey Tubes	90	93
Power Corpn.	6	6
Royal Bank of Canada	137	
Shawinigan Power	17	17
Steel Co. of Canada, Com.	60	60
Steel Co. of Canada, Pfd.	66	70
United Steel Corpn.	4½	4½
Walker, G. & W.	45	46
Walker, G. & W. Pfd.	19	19½
Western Canada Flour	3	
Winnipeg Electric "A"	3½	
Canadian Investment Fund		2 70

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	142	
B.A. Oil	17	18
B.C. Power "A"	23	23½
Burlington Steel	9	
Can. Car & Fdry. Pfd.	28	29½
C.P.R.	6	7
Can. Marine & Dredging	30	33
Cons. Paper	3	3½
Dominion Bridge		25
Dom. Steel & Coal "B"	8	8½
Ford of Canada "A"	19	20
Gatineau Power, Pfd.	78	80
Gen. Steel Wares		7½
Goodyear Tire		65
Imperial Oil	13	13½
Imperial Tobacco	11	11½
Int. Metal Indus. 6% Pfd.	87	89
Int. Metal Indus. "A"		11
Int. Nickel	33	33½
Int. Petroleum	17	17½
Montreal L.H. & P.	25	25½
Moore Corpn.	44½	45
Nat'l Steel Car	38	39
Shawinigan W. & P.	17	18
Steel of Canada	60	60
Hiram Walker, G. & W.	44½	45½
Bank of Montreal	147	144
Royal Bank	131	132½
Can. Bank of Commerce	130	130

London Stocks

LONDON, Jan. 7 (CP).—Stock closings, in sterling: Austin "A" 20s 9d; Babcock & Wilcox 48s 6d; Cent Mining £13 1-2; Consol Gold 41s 9d; Courtaulds 46s 3d; Crown, £8 1-2; East Geduld £8 3-4; Hudson's Bay Co. 37s 9d; London Midland, £29 5-8; Metal Box, 83s 6d; Mexican Eagle 10s 6d; Mining Trust 2s 6d; Rand, £6 7-8; Springs, 17s 6d.

Bonds: British 2 1-2 per cent Consols £82 15-16; British 3 1-2 per cent War Loan, £103 7-16; British Funding 4s 1960-90, £114 3-8.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Jan. 7 (CP).—Canadian Commodity Exchange Spot: Butter, Quebec (92 score), 35 1-4b. Eggs, Eastern "A" large, 38a.

Futures: Butter January, February, March, April, 35 1-4b. Eggs, January 36b.

CLEARINGS FOR WEEK

Total clearings of the Victoria Clearing House for the week ending January 7, 1943, were $1,826,028. Clearings for the corresponding period last year were $2,123,691.

Egg Market

These prices are obtained daily from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Product Inspection Service, Victoria, G 2402:

To producer—

Grade "A" large	.35
Grade "A" medium	.38
Grade "A" pullet	.33

Following are city wholesale

Grade "A" large	.42
Grade "A" medium	.40
Grade "A" pullet	.37

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi 5, 1953	57 00	60 00
B.C. Pulp 6%, 1950	90 00	94 00
Brown Co. 5%, 1959	77 70	80 00
Calgary Power 5, 1960	110 00	114 00
Canada Cement 5½%, 1951	101 50	107 50
Canada Steamship 5%, 1957	102 00	104 00
C.P.R. 3%, 1945	100 00	101 00
C.P.R. 3½%, 1951	98 00	100 00
Dominion Tar 4½%, 1951	101 50	
Famous Players 4½%, 1951	100 50	104 50
Gatineau Power 3, 1940	100 25	102 25
Maple Leaf 3, 1958	94 00	97 50
Massey-Harris 4½%, 1954	97 00	100 00
McColl-Frontenac 4½%, 1949	100 00	103 00
Shawinigan 4%, 1961	104 00	107 00
Simpson's Ltd. 4½%, 1951	100 00	103 00
United Grain Grow. 5%, 1948	99 00	102 00

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Argentina 4½%, 1971	84 00	88 00
Australia 4½%, 1956	78 50	80 00
Brazil 6½%, 1957	31 50	35 00
Buenos Aires 3, 1980	44 00	
Chile 6%, 1961	18 50	20 50
Colombia 6%, 1961	40 00	42 75
Cuba 4½%, 1977	70 50	75 00
Peru 6%, 1961	10 50	15 50
Sydney 5½%, 1955	80 00	87 00
Uruguay 4%, 1978	42 00	46 00

(Above Prices in New York)

Provincial Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta 4%, 1955	72 00	75 00
Alberta 3½%, 1955	74 00	77 50
British Columbia 4%, 1957	100 00	109 50
British Columbia 4%, 1953	110 50	113 50
British Columbia 5%, 1963	110 00	113 50
Manitoba 4½%, 1960	100 50	107 50
Manitoba 5½%, 1958	109 00	112 00
New Brunswick 4½%, 1961	110 00	113 00
Nova Scotia 4½%, 1963	111 50	114 50
Ontario 4½%, 1960	100 50	110 00
Quebec 4½%, 1958	105 00	107 00
Saskatchewan 4½%, 1951	86 00	90 00
Saskatchewan 3½%, 1950	87 25	90 25
Saskatchewan 6%, 1962	98 00	101 00

'Tain't in the book these days to be a cut-up.—Irvin S. Cobb.

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CONVICTION OF SHERIFF UPHELD

CHARLOTTE, N.C., Jan. 7 (AP).—A sentence of twelve months in prison and a $1,000 fine imposed upon Deputy Sheriff Martin L. Catlette, of Richwood, W.Va., upon his conviction of mistreating a group of Jehovah's Witnesses, was upheld by the Fourth United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

The decision, written by Judge Armistead M. Dobie, of Charlottesville, Va., upheld the finding of the Charleston, W.Va., District Court that Catlette aided in violating rights guaranteed under the Fourteenth Amendment in restraining members of the religious sect from their liberties.

"We are here concerned with protecting the rights of the victim, no matter how locally unpalatable they may be as a result of their seeming fanaticism," the decision said. "These rights include free speech, freedom of religion, immunity from illegal restraint and equal protection."

Charles S. Jones and C. A. Cecil and seven associates, members of Jehovah's Witnesses, went to Richwood, a town of 5,000, on June 28, 1940, to seek converts and signers to a petition to the Governor of Ohio seeking permission to hold the national convention of Jehovah's Witnesses at the state fair grounds in Columbus. Upon asking Police Chief Bert Stewart and Catlette for protection, the nine were taken to the mayor's office and held incommunicado from 8 a.m. until midafternoon, while outside there gathered leaders of the Richwood Post of the American Legion and other citizens, forming a throng of about 1,500 persons, the Government record set forth.

Inside, the decision detailed, Catlette removed his deputy's badge and announced that from "here on it will not be the law." Members of the Witnesses were then forced to drink castor oil, those submitting being given eight ounces and those who resisted having sixteen ounces forced down their throats.

After being denied the privileges of washrooms, the members were tied with ropes and led in single file to the town square where Richwood citizens saluted the flag and demanded that the Witnesses do the same. When they declined, upon religious grounds, they were subjected to indignities and marched to the city limits and told to leave.

Aircraft Company Suspends Men for Puffing Tobacco

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 7 (CP).—North American Aircraft Co. had a smoking hot controversy on its hands today.

Smoking is dangerous, says the company, which yesterday suspended eighty-five workers for puffing tobacco at the Inglewood plant.

The suspension, says union spokesmen, is "discrimination and heckling."

On the premise that where there's smoking there's likely to be fire, the company issued a statement declaring the suspensions were mandatory under insurance restrictions.

A contention that workers produce 14 to 30 per cent more when smoking is permitted was made by Dayton Owens, grievance chairman and executive of the C.I.O. United Automobile Workers local.

CPL. CHARLES SHARP KILLED AT HONGKONG

Cpl. Charles John (Chuck) Sharp, well-known basketball player of Victoria, was killed in action at Hongkong according to word received yesterday from Ottawa by his wife, Mrs. Christine Sharp. No details were given.

Cpl. Sharp, who served with the R.C.C.S., enlisted here in February, 1939, and left for Hongkong in October, 1941. He was born in Berkshire, England, twenty-seven years ago and came to Victoria at the age of nine.

Mrs. Sharp lives at 517 Constance Avenue.

Obituary

MASON—James Ernest Mason, thirty-five, of 317 Simcoe Street, died in Royal Jubilee Hospital at 8 p.m. yesterday, after six weeks' illness. Born in Winnipeg, he had lived in Victoria for thirteen years. He was employed at the Victoria Machinery Depot, Ltd. Surviving are his widow, Gladys, at home; his mother, Mrs. D. Mason, in Vancouver; two sisters, Miss Lily Mason, Vancouver, and Mrs. Mabel Cox, Victoria, and a brother, Keith, serving with the Canadian Army in England. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

McMILLAN—Private funeral services for Mrs. Agnes McMillan will be held in the chapel of Sands Mortuary, Ltd., tomorrow at 2 p.m. Rev. T. H. McAllister will officiate and interment will take place in Royal Oak Burial Park. It has been requested that no flowers be sent.

OSBON—The death occurred suddenly yesterday at the family residence, 2306 Cook Street, of Hannah Maria, wife of Benjamin F. Osbon, veteran marine engineer with the Canadian Pacific Railway. Mrs. Osbon, who was born in West Hartlepool, England, came to Canada forty years ago and lived for two years in Toronto and thirty-eight years in Victoria. She was sixty-four years of age. Surviving, besides her widower, are a sister, Mrs. W. B. Lowe, of this province, and a brother, Charles Cook, in Kent, England. Funeral services will be held at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow at 2 p.m., with Rev. O. L. Jull officiating, and cremation will take place at Royal Oak.

MACKIE—The death occurred at Royal Jubilee Hospital on Monday of Alexander Mackie, a native of Aberdeenshire, Scotland, who had lived here for thirty-five years. A member of the I.O.O.F. for more than thirty years, he was sixty-eight years of age. The funeral will take place at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel tomorrow at 3:30 p.m., with Rev. James Hood officiating and interment will be made in Colwood Burial Park.

SHERET—The death occurred at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Wednesday of David Bryce Sheret, infant son of Captain and Mrs. Robert D. Sheret, Vancouver. He was born in Victoria seven months ago and is survived by his parents and one sister, Marilyn. Private funeral services will be held in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel today at 3.15 p.m. Very Rev. S. H. Elliott, Dean of Columbia, will officiate and interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

ORANGE LODGE

A meeting of Sir Edward Carson Lodge, L.O.A., will be held in the Orange Hall, Courtney Street, tonight at 8 o'clock.

SGT. W. E. PHILLIPS LISTED AS KILLED IN ACTION AT HONGKONG

Sgt. William Edward Phillips, Force Headquarters, whose next of kin, his wife, Mrs. Doris Phillips, resides at 1016 Victoria Avenue, is the only Victoria man named in the Canadian (Active) Army's 242nd overseas casualty list of the war, issued yesterday, containing names of men killed in action at Hongkong.

Named in the 243rd casualty list as having died of wounds at Hongkong was Signm. John Lloyd Frederick Fairley. The address of his father, Jack Young Fairley, was given as General Delivery, Port Alberni.

V.I. PIPERS TO MEET

The first meeting of the Vancouver Island Pipers' Society for 1943 will be held on Saturday in the auditorium of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, 715 View Street, Victoria, commencing at 7.30 p.m., and will feature the introduction and welcome of the pipes and drums of a fusilier battalion by the pipe band of another battalion under the direction of Pipe-Major Peden.

George Briston will be heard in "character interpretations" and selections will be given by the well-known operatic tenor, Carl Horthy, as well as the best performance by a piper and side-drummer playing as a duet.

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Cash and Carry FOOD MARKET
TODAY AND SATURDAY

Apples

ROME BEAUTY, Per box $1.79	5 lbs.	23¢
YELLOW NEWTOWNS, Per box $2.25	4 lbs.	23¢
McINTOSH REDS, fancy wrapped, Per box $2.25	4 lbs.	23¢
DELICIOUS, C Grade, wrapped, Per box $2.25	4 lbs.	23¢

Sunkist Oranges

Per dozen 25¢ 34¢ 39¢ 48¢
Per large mesh bag 87¢

SUNKIST LEMONS, large size, per dozen 35¢
CAPE COD CRANBERRIES, Honker Brand, lb. 25¢

EGG NOODLES AND CREAMETTES—Easily and quickly prepared for a delicious lunch, packets	8¢
WHITE NAVY BEANS, ONTARIO—Delicious baked, with whole tomatoes and flavored with pork	3 lbs. 19¢
WHOLE DRIED GREEN PEAS, MARROWFAT—Quick cooking, nourishing and economical	4 lbs. 25¢
TOMATO KETCHUP, CLARK'S—Tastes fine on meats, fish and sandwiches, 12-oz. bottles	15¢
BREAKFAST COCOA, FRY'S—A favorite drink with all the family, 1 lb. tins	31¢
SUGAR CRISP CORN FLAKES, POST'S—Serve with fruit and milk or cream, 8-oz. packets	6¢
SPREADEASY CHEESE, BURNS'—Delicious on sandwiches or on crackers, 2-lb. wooden box	64¢
FELS-NAPTHA SOAP—Makes white clothes whiter, cakes	3 for 19¢
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